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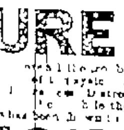
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STATE NEWS

Androscoggin.

"Talk about trading," said the man Wednesday, in the Lewiston depot baggage room, "I saw something curious, the other evening. I was going through the private way from Lincoln street to Ash street, across the Maine Central track, when I ran almost plump into a young fellow whom I know pretty well. I spoke to him and he stopped, and laughing, held up one foot. He was in his stockings. Says I, 'What's the matter?' 'Nothing, only I've sold my boots.' 'What's that for?' 'Got a good trade. Made thirty cents on 'em. How's that for trading?' He has sold the boots right off his feet, because he could clear thirty cents and was walking home over the ice in his stockings. He's a fine rate fellow, cause I know him."

Aroostook

The sixth anniversary of Presque Isle Lodge Number 81, I O O F was observed February ... There was a very large attendance and the exercises were very interesting and enjoyable. Prayer was offered by Rev M Calkin pastor of the Baptist church. The address was by Rev Edgar ... Warren pastor of the Congregational church. A history of the rise and growth of Odd Fellowship in this country was read by Rev G M P... Miss Bertie Mosher sang a selection. Remarks were made by Dr Hathaway, Dr Bean, N J ... John ..., Chas B Richardson, Prof ... and Rev Mr Calkins, of Presque Isle and N W Johnson of Caribou. The music of the evening was by the Presque Isle Male Quartette, with Miss Jennie Dunn as organist. An oyster supper was served to about one hundred and fifty invited guests and members. From the historical address were gathered the following statistics. The first lodge was instituted in Fort Fairfield by the officers of the Grand Lodge, February 22 1881 with four charter members. The second lodge was instituted in Houlton, February 23 1881. There are now in the county six lodges with a membership of about 412. Since their institution these lodges have paid benefits amounting to over $1 100. Also funeral benefits of $100. Four members have died. The amount of property owned by the lodges is $,000. February 27, 1884 Northern Light Encampment No 12 of Fort Fairfield, was instituted with thirteen charter members. The encampment now numbers forty-eight members.

Cumberland

Dr Thomas A Foster left Wednesday night for Haverhill to superintend the moving of Zenas Thompson, Jr, to his home in Portland. Mr Thompson's friends will be glad to learn that he is so far recovered from the effects of his late accident as to admit of his being brought home.

The contract for building the new Ottawa House, Cushing's Island has been awarded to I W Barrowes and the framing timbers are now being got out. The contract price is understood to be $32 000 above the foundations exclusive of plumbing. The hotel will be ready to occupy by the first of June.

William Wells, a teamster in the employ of a firm in Portland while hauling a sled load of blinds, met with a severe accident, Wednesday forenoon. While crossing a deep hollow on Fore street one of the piles of blinds fell on him breaking his ... He was conveyed to his home in Deering.

The first of the Furness steamers to arrive here will be the Salisbury. She is expected here early next week from Philadelphia, and is booked to sail for Liverpool on the ... inst. The Durham City will succeed her, to sail hence March 10th, the Boston City, March 24th, and the Wetherby April 7th.

Wednesday afternoon Officer W R Frank of Portland arrested John Bowie a colored man in the cellar of Phineas F Varnum, who stabbed Mr Gillise in the affray in a liquor saloon Tuesday night. The wound which Gillise received was six inches deep and half an inch wide, and was probably made with a double edged knife. Gillise left for his home in Bath Wednesday night.

The residents of Peak's Island have been somewhat excited for the past few days over what they term the illegal burial of the late Simon Maxwell, whose remains were brought here from New York a short time ago. He died of malignant scarlet fever. It is claimed the remains were transferred from one casket to another without permission from the Board of Health and contrary to law. The remains were finally buried Sunday night.

Franklin.

Mr Gideon L Pease who now lives at East Wilton was born in Wilton, February 14 1806, enlisted in Boston, January 23, 1820, in the regular United States army, for a term of five years, and was soon ordered to the frontier. The troops were transferred to the West in 1832, and took part in the Black Hawk war. The forces were commanded by Colonel Zachary Taylor, and Mr. Pease's company was commanded by Captain William S Harney. Mr Pease was promoted to quartermaster sergeant, and at the time of his discharge at the expiration of his term of enlistment, was doing, in addition to his duties, those of commissary sergeant. He was discharged Jan 23, 1834. He hopes to get a pension. So far as is known he is the only New England survivor of the Black Hawk war.

Hancock

Edward Johnson, Esq, of Belfast, sends the Journal the following extract from a private letter from Paris: "I went to a dancing school last night, and it transpired that the teacher, one of the most renowned here was a native of Deer Isle, Maine. Just imagine Deer Isle furnishing dancing masters for Paris."

Kennebec.

An axle to a freight car on the one o'clock train, Wednesday afternoon, broke immediately after crossing the Augusta bridge, and a delay of about one hour was occasioned. It certainly was most fortunate that the accident didn't occur on the bridge.

In a case on trial in the Superior Court where members of the Salvation Army brought an action against Ex-Mayor George E. Weeks and City Marshal Morse, of Augusta, to recover damages for arrest while parading the streets with drums, the jury Wednesday rendered a clear verdict for the defendants.

Mrs. Caroline G. Manly, of Augusta, mother of J. H. Manly, Esq, while returning from a neighbor's, slipped and fell, striking upon her hip and side on the stone step. She was carried home and physicians summoned. They say that no bones are broken, but Mrs. Manley is unable to move. Mrs. Manley is nearly seventy years old, and it is hard to tell what the results may be.

Extensive repairs are to be made in the State House the present year. A new hard wood floor will probably be laid in the rotunda and a new fountain is needed. It will be a metal fountain which can be removed and replaced without injury. The old wooden fountain was destroyed when it was removed to give space for the catafalque which bore the remains of the late Governor Bodwell. Unless the electric light is introduced, as is probable, the entire gas lighting apparatus must be overhauled and renewed, as it has done duty for so many years as to be about worn out. The return pipes for the steam heating apparatus must also be replaced.

Mr C. H Brann, who clerks at Devine & Coughlin's drug store in Augusta made quite a capture Wednesday. Whilst taking some straw from a barrel in the lower cellar, his hand grasped not only straw, but a mink, and a live one at that. The feelings of Mr Brann may be imagined but he didn't bother his imagination much at that juncture. That mink was stunned in quick time. While showing to several persons what he supposed to be a dead mink, signs of life became manifest in the animal. The mink was made secure in a cage and now is kept in the rear room at Devine & Coughlin's. It is probably the same animal that has been seen about the river bank this winter.

Knox

We learn that the suit of the Bodwell Granite Company against Davis Tillson, to recover profits in the contract for the stone for the St Louis Custom House and Post Office, has been decided, General Tillson having decided to ... the verdict of the referee and pay the award amounting to $21 332 and that the Bodwell Company will accept it ...

The statement of earnings of the Knox & Lincoln railroad for December 1887 as compared with December 1886 is as follows: Passenger $8,164 42, a falling off of $327 ..., freight $4 073 70, a falling off of $670 ..., mails $607 ..., no change, express $... no change, extra baggage $... a gain of $33 40, car service, $161 ..., ferry boat $1, gain of forty cents, sundries $13 09, a gain of $61 ... total $11,811, 71, a falling off of $832 64.

The only two survivors of the ship Alfred Watts, Henry Magnus and Oscar ..., arrived at New York recently on the brig Mary B Rittel ... and made a sworn statement concerning the loss of the ship Alfred Watts, which Capt Frank H ... of this city commanded. The facts as stated by them are substantially the same as have been previously published. Mrs Sarah S ... of Rockland has received a check from ... a policy of $2,- 000 in the Washington Life Insurance Company of New York and the information ... sworn statements given by the survivors will be of considerable ... in filing it ...

Oxford

Irvin Beckler of Albany recently got his foot caught under his sled load with logs. He spoke to his oxen and they stopped for him in weighing down his foot. The question then was how to get out. The help with him were not able to lift the sled and the oxen could not back it and so they hitched the oxen to the hind end and drew the sled off. No bones were broken, but he has quite a lame foot.

E Bell of West Bethel, met with what came very near being a serious accident a few days ago. He was hauling brick for A S Bean from the ... When coming down the mountain the brake chain broke, and the load started at a furious speed. Mr Bell while trying to guide his horses, broke the reins, and was thrown from the load, injuring one leg quite badly. The horses and load were piled up a short distance below, but the horses escaped without injury.

Waldo.

Mrs Rachel Vinal, of Vinalhaven came to Belfast last week with Mr S J Gushee, of Appleton to consult Mr Wallace in regard to pension matters. While there Mrs Vinal stopped at the Phoenix House. Wednesday morning she got up in a chair in her room and attempted to roll up the curtain. Had she understood the working of the curtain she would not have been obliged to have rolled it from the top. She fell from the chair and broke one leg just above the ankle. Mrs Vinal was driven to Appleton by Mr Gushee.

York.

The Saco city government has voted that Hon Thomas B Reed be requested to present a bill to the House of Representatives for a new post office for Saco, and that Hon Eugene Hale be requested to look after the bill in the Senate.

The late Hon Daniel P Somes was the first mayor of Biddeford and the first Republican congressman from that district. In 1863 Mr Somes settled in Washington and for several years was a prominent practitioner before the Patent Office. He also turned his attention to inventing, and took out over sixty patents. More than twenty five years ago he proposed the system of transporting fresh beef in refrigerator cars, and suitable means for accomplishing it. He had four sons, two of whom died in youth. Only one son survives Mr Somes, a prominent patent attorney of Washington.

Short Cuts.

Worth the man milliner of Paris, considers Mrs Potter's face the most beautiful he ever saw.

Oliver Ditson, the veteran music publisher of Boston, slipped on the steps of his residence Monday, causing a severe fracture to one elbow.

Andrew Carnegie fell into the hands of a bunko steerer in Pittsburg, Saturday night, but was rescued by a detective before he lost anything.

"Was St Paul a dupe?" asked the Rev Joseph Cook in a recent lecture. And a Boston newspaper allowed him to appear in type as asking "Was St Paul a dude?"

Mrs Krupp, widow of the great gunmaker, has permission by the terms of her husband's will to take any income she chooses from the estate not exceeding $125,000 per annum.

A luncheon party in Philadelphia was served in five adjoining rooms, each of which was furnished in a different color—pink, white, blue, yellow and red. Each room was decorated with flowers of corresponding color.

Hartford society is stirred to its depths over the discovery that whist parties, so popular there, are in defiance of the law against gambling, and that each lady and gentleman who has taken part in the game is liable to a fine of $100.

William Preston Johnston, son of the General Johnston who died at Shiloh, is President of Tulane University and a Shakespeare expert. He has not a single hair on his head or face. Even his eyebrows and eyelashes have disappeared.

At the present rate of increase in population, by the year 1900, the Stars and Stripes will probably wave over nearly 100,000,000 citizens. And then this country will begin to look forward to the time when 1,000,000,000 free citizens will look up to the starry flag for protection.

In the notice of a funeral of a prominent citizen the Arizona Howler says: "The most noteworthy feature of the sad occasion was an eloquent address by Jim Peggtop, a brother-in-law of the remains. Jim is a hustler from way back, and has done much to corral the big boom which this town is now having."

Western Minnesota was recently covered with a smooth glaze of ice, rain having fallen upon the snow and frozen. Then a big storm occurred at the Black Hills in Dakota. The snow was accompanied by a howling blizzard. The big deposit of snow at the Black Hills was shoveled bodily over into Minnesota by the tempest. It was a genuine avalanche.

An ingenious woman in Holt county, Nebraska, saved the lives of two men during the blizzard. She saw them pass her house and surmising that they might have lost their way, heated a flatiron and placed it close to a pane of glass to keep off the frost and set a lamp by the window. They saw the light and were saved.

The female Mayor of Argonia Kansas was elected as a joke, but a good many of the citizens think they have caught a Tartar. She has put a stop to their poker games, billiard playing and similar amusements after nine P. M., and sprees and jamborees are things of the past. Everybody is in bed by 9 30, and sporting men are seeking fields and pastures new.

Twenty years ago a rich Englishman and his wife went to Italy with a foreign courier. In Genoa the gentleman was taken ill and died. He was buried in the town and his wife stayed on, at the hotel. After a time she married the courier and from that day to this they have lived in Genoa, going in the summer to a villa on the Lake of Como, which they purchased. Neither has ever set foot in England for twenty years.

The mate of a Lake Superior steamer who has sailed on the lake for twenty years, tells the St Louis Globe-Democrat that nothing is done when a man falls overboard in the lake. The water is so cold that a man cannot live in it during the time it takes to stop a rapidly moving vessel and lower a boat. Of all the men who have fallen off vessels he knew of only one who escaped death, and he was saved by a scratch.

At Athens Georgia the other evening great preparations were made for a wedding among the colored folks. The bride was prepared in gorgeous raiment, the table groaned with good things. But the groom came not. He sent word that he could not be present. Another young man offered to take his place, but the bride ... He ... all followed the ... and the occasion was quite as jolly and all enjoyed themselves as though it ... was really a wedding.

Thomas A Edison has sent Professor James Ricalton, of Maplewood N J on a long hunt for a species of vegetable growth which will enable him to make great improvements in electric lamp appliances. Mr Edison is sure that the vegetable has an existence, because he has it in his possession, but as to where it grows and how to secure it in quantity is the problem which Professor Ricalton will try to solve in a two years tour of the globe. He will go to India first.

Robert Cunninghame-Graham who is now in prison in London under ... for disturbing the peace as one of the leaders of the recent popular demonstration, belongs to one of the most illustrious families in Scotland. They proudly boast that their blood is bluer than the kings. Mr. Cuninghame Graham's ancestor, Sir Robert Graham declared war against James I, of Scotland, surprised that monarch in his castle at Keith and deliberately stabbed him to death with the words "Thou never hadst mercy upon those of thine own blood, therefore thou shalt have no mercy here."

A distressing family quarrel in the backwoods of Delaware county, New York was thrust upon the public gaze when the Walton Reporter published the following: "My wife, Mary, has left my bed and board without cause, and I hereby forbid any one harboring or trusting on my account. Melvin I. Dickerman. Shinhopple Jan 27 1888."

That Mary is a woman with plenty of spunk is shown by her reply, published the following week:

"The notice of Melvin Dickerman sounds big, but the fact is he had no bed or board for me to leave, as for credit a blank is worth more than his name. Mary Dickerman Shinhopple."

NEWS FROM EASTERN MAINE.

Pittsfield Letter.

[Reg Correspondence Whig & Courier]

There was a very enjoyable entertainment in Union Hall on Tuesday evening. The exercises opened with a comic selection by the M C I quartette. Mr S E Plummer, of Detroit and Miss Edith Farnham rendered solos in excellent taste and William Robbins played a trombone solo. The larger part of the programme however, consisted of readings by Prof W F Wentworth. Mr Wentworth met with much favor and was enthusiastically applauded.

A new eighty horse power boiler is being set in the Pioneer woolen mill.

Members of the Somerset county Grange met in Pittsfield on Tuesday and had profitable meetings.

The class of '88 at Maine Central Institute will give an entertainment at the large Institute chapel on Friday evening next. A supper will be served after the entertainment.

There was a lively runaway here on Monday last. E E Maxwell's horse got frightened and went through the streets at a lively gait. The sleigh attached to the horse was completely demolished. Fortunately no one was hurt.

The Pittsfield Electric Light and Power Company has been incorporated with a capital stock of $9,950, par value of shares $50.

Dover Letter.

[Regular Correspondence Whig and Courier]

At this time we are afflicted with another blow and the roads will be filled again. But for our encouragement I can say that a gentleman from the west who is spending the winter here, says that in Minnesota, where he spent three years, they would call this an open winter. I thought if this is an open winter it must be quite a serious matter to experience a "close" winter.

The fourth entertainment in the Y M C A course came off Tuesday evening. The programme which was made up entirely of local talent was very satisfactory, nearly every member receiving an encore. It was as follows:

PART FIRST.

1. Quartette—"Farmer John"	Glee Club	White
2 Clarinet Solo—"6th Air Varied"	W. N. Park.	Dancla
3 Song, Selected,	Miss Nellie Colcord	
4 Whistling Solo—"Sweet Autumn Dreams,"	Miss Mamie Bush.	Der Mehden
5 Reading—"The Spanish Duel,"	Rev W. H. McAllister	
6 Quartette—"Sister Spirits Haste Away"	Ladies Quartette	Riley
7 Song—"The Diver"	Charles Brakor	Loder.

PART SECOND.

8 Violin Solo Selected,	T. F. Dyer.	
9 Duet—"Till We Meet Again"	Mrs Evans and Miss Colcord.	
10 Whistling Solo—"When the Robins Nest Again"	Miss Bush	Howard
11 Quartette—"Bridal of the Birds"	Ladies Quartette.	Richards.
12 Reading—"Brother Wilkins Farewell,"	Rev. Mr McAllister.	
13 Quartette—"The Tar's Farewell"	Glee Club	Adams.

Miss Lora Dyer and Miss Annie Blethen, Accompanists. T. F. Dyer, Director.

The audience was the largest in attendance at any entertainment of the course, and the Association was well pleased with their success. The next and closing entertainment will be a Chalk Talk, by Prof. S M. Spedon, of New York.

The Piscataquis Loan and Building Association declared a semi annual dividend of three per cent at their regular meeting, Monday evening. The Association is growing and bids fair to be very successful.

The remains of Isaac Davis were brought to this place Tuesday for burial. Mr Davis formerly lived here but had lived in ... for several years. The cause of his death was pneumonia. The funeral services were held at the residence of Mr Otis Bradley, under the charge of the Odd Fellows.

Joe Rivs who has been in the employ of his brother Charles for some time, has gone to Guilford to work in the mill.

Dick Norton has gone to work for Harry ... in his barber shop in Foxcroft.

Mr ... B. ..., who has been foreman in the Observer office for a long time, has given up his position there and expects to enter the furniture establishment of Mr Elmer D Bailey. Fred had worked in the Observer office some thirteen years and would be there now if the proprietors could have had their way, but he thought the change would be beneficial to his health and so tore himself away.

Miss Mattie Jennison has returned from Dexter and is now working in the Observer office.

H A and A C Brockway photographers have dissolved partnership. The business will be continued by H A Brockway.

Mr Hol... has given up his ... in the ... factory.

Hampden Letter

[Regular Correspondence Whig and Courier]

W. W. Rogers ... celebrated his seventy first birthday Saturday evening, by entertaining at his residence about seventy five of his friends. Card playing and other amusements were engaged in until ... which hour a fine oyster supper was served. ... Mr Rogers was called upon for remarks and responded by saying that Prof ... Sprout would read for him a poem which he had prepared for the occasion. The poem was excellent, touching upon the surprise given the writer on his seventieth birthday and incidents connected therewith and was read by Mr Sprout in his usual able manner. H W Mayo in a few well selected words presented the host with a large easy chair as a souvenir from his friends, with their congratulations and wishes for added years of health and comfort. At a late hour the company separated having passed a most enjoyable evening.

The members of F G Flagg Post and the Ladies Relief Corps had a pleasant gathering at Mrs J F Flagg's, Monday evening.

The following officers of Hampden Lodge, I O of G T were installed Thursday evening, by Lodge Deputy H W Mayo: ... Allan C T, Hattie Campbell, V T, J A Snire S, Bell Myrick F, Robena Morey T S, J H Hardy, M, Grace Reed, D M, Lizzie Mayo C, W M Mayo, P C T, D H Sawyer S J T. After the installation ceremonies refreshments were served. New members are being taken in and the lodge is in better condition than for some time.

Mrs B H Brown fell on the ice as she was leaving the church Sunday and gave her wrist a very bad sprain.

David Stevenson is holding revival meetings at the Argy's Corner school house. The meetings are largely attended and productive of much good several having already started in the new life.

The household goods of the late Olive H Dillingham will be sold by public auction at her late residence Thursday afternoon February 23d.

The second lecture in the Academy course which was to have been delivered Thursday evening by Dr A C Hamlin, was postponed on account of the bad travelling. The next lecture will occur Thursday evening February 23d by Hon S W Matthews.

Mrs D A Smith is quite sick with fever.

Old Town Letter

[Regular Correspondence Whig and Courier]

By invitation of the Trustees, your correspondent visited the Maine Insane Hospital, at Augusta last week. Perhaps a brief statement in regard to the institution may not be uninteresting to the readers of your valuable paper. Under the immediate supervision of Dr Bigelow T Sanborn, the superintendent the asylum is all that the most exacting could wish. The inmates number about seven hundred and fifty. Order, system and neatness prevail throughout the establishment, necessitating a great amount of labor, which requires the services of over one hundred attendants for all departments. For those of the unfortunates who are inclined to read, a library of perhaps two thousand volumes, is established and the librarian is kept busy during the hours the library is open. A band, made up from the ranks of the attendants and designed for the benefit of the inmates, and which the management cannot fail to appreciate, stationed in the wards section, furnishes music each evening. I shall not attempt a description of the different buildings comprising the asylum, suffice it to say that they are substantial specimens of stone and brick masonry, so designed as to give light, well ventilated and spacious apartments. This supplemented by the kind and efficient treatment by the management, must aid materially in the restoration of all those unfortunates to whom so desirable a result is possible. For the many courtesies of Treasurer, Mr. Chase and wife, we wish to express our thanks and obligations. Under the present efficient management the institution is an honor to the State.

The dramatic entertainment, supper and dance given at Town Hall, Tuesday evening last, was a success all round. The large audience was well pleased with the presentation of Lost in London, and "That Rascal Pat" which followed, proved himself equal to the occasion, and slid gracefully through many pretty small doors to escape "the punishment that fits the crime."

Messrs. Hunt, Warren and Sumner, of Governor Marble's council, were in town Thursday, in the interest of the Indian Agency.

A party of about fifty went down to see the popular play "Held by the Enemy," last Tuesday evening at the Opera House, Bangor.

The first number of the Oldtown Enterprise will appear Saturday, March 3d.

WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET.

[Corrected semi weekly by the Grocers' Association.]

SATURDAY, Feb. 18

State Law Regarding Weights and Measures

A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 60 pounds and a bushel of Turks Island salt shall weigh 70 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes in good order and fit for shipping is 60 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of beans in good order and fit for shipping is 60 pounds. Of wheat, beets and peas 60 pounds, of corn 56 pounds, of onions 52 pounds, of carrots, turnips, rye and Indian meal 50 pounds, of barley and buckwheat 48 pounds, of oats 32 pounds or even measure as by agreement.

Country Produce

APPLES—	
Per barrel	$1 25@2 50
BEANS—	
Improved Yellow Eye per bush	2 50@2 75
Pea hand picked per bush	...
BUTTER—	
Choice new per lb	25@26c
Fair to good	18@20c
CHEESE—	
Best Factory per lb (new)	13@14c
Best Dairy per lb new	13@14c
DRIED APPLES—	
Choice string per lb	8@9c
Choice sliced	...
EGGS—	
Fresh laid per doz	20@21c
HAY—	
Best loose per ton	11 00@12 00
Best bales	12 00@13 00
OATS—	
Prime country per bush	40@45c
Prime Western	42@45c
PEAS—	
Improved per bush	...
Best Canada wheat	1 00@1 10
POTATOES—	
Best quality per bush	75@80c
PORK—	
Round hog per lb	7c
POULTRY—	
Chickens per lb	...
Fowl	...
Turkeys	...
ONIONS—	
Per bush	1 25

Retail Prices Current

SALT—	
Bags ground in boxes per box	...
English fine salt in ...	...
In 5 lb bags	...
Liverpool per bush	...
Turks Island per bush	...
HERRING—	
English scaled in boxes per box	25c
RAISINS—	
Loose Muscatels per lb	...
London layers	...
Sultana	...
Valencia	...
CURRANTS—	
English per lb	...
GRANULATED RICE—	
Per quart	...
TOP CORN—	
Best ... per lb	...
Best ... shelled	...
KEROSENE OIL—	
Water ... gallon	12c
Water white gallon	15c
VINEGAR—	
Pure cider per gallon	...
Pure W W	...
FLOUR—	
Best Spring Haxa	...
Best St Louis	...
Good ...	...
CORN—	
Per retail	...
CORN MEAL—	
... per bush	...
SHORTS—	
...	...
Middlings per ...	...
MIDDLINGS—	
...	...
COTTON SEED MEAL—	
Per sack	...

Broadstuffs, Grain, etc.

OATMEAL—	
Best ... per lb	...
Best ...	...
Best ...	...
RYE MEAL—	
Per pound	4c
GRAHAM FLOUR—	
Per pound	4c
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—	
Per pound	4c
PORK—	
... clear per lb	10@11c
...	10@11c
LARD—	
... per lb	10@11
Home ...	...
SUGAR—	
Granulated per lb	...
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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1888.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION

will be held in

NOROMBEGA HALL,

BANGOR,

Thursday, April 26, 1888,

At 11 o'clock A. M.,

for the purpose of selecting two candidates for Electors of President and Vice-President of the United States, and four delegates at large, and four alternates to attend the National Convention, to be held at Chicago, Illinois, on Tuesday, June 19th, 1888, and transacting any other business that may properly come before it.

The basis of representation will be as follows: Each city, town and plantation will be entitled to one delegate, and for each seventy-five votes cast for the Republican candidate for Governor in 1886, an additional delegate, and for a fraction of forty votes in excess of seventy-five votes, an additional delegate.

The State Committee will be in session in the reception room of the Hall, at nine o'clock on the morning of the Convention, for the purpose of receiving the credentials of delegates.

All electors of Maine, without regard to past political differences, who are in sympathy with the sentiments expressed in the call of the Republican National Committee for the Republican National Convention, are cordially invited to unite with the Republicans of the State in selecting delegates to this Convention.

Per Order Republican State Committee.

JOSEPH H. MANLEY, Chairman.

WILLIS H. WING, Secretary.

Augusta, Maine, February 11, 1888.

CONVENTION

—OF—

REPUBLICAN CLUBS.

In pursuance of the plan of organization adopted by the National League of Republican Clubs, and at the request of the Executive Committee thereof, I invite all Republican Clubs in Maine to send delegates to a Convention to be held in this city on TUESDAY, the 21st inst., at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of organizing a

Maine State League of Republican Clubs.

This Convention will be held under the limits and restrictions prescribed for such Conventions by the Rules of the National League. Each Republican Club in the State, and any club may be organized prior to the date of the Convention, will be entitled to five delegates in the Convention, and each delegation to one vote. By a vote of the Portland Club its rooms have been tendered for the purposes of the Convention, which will assemble there.

Clubs or individuals desiring further information can address

FRED N. DOW,

Executive Committee of the National League of Republican Clubs.

Nebraska Republicans have caught the calling party fever and will meet in convention March 15 to form their clubs into a State League.

The starting of seven Republican papers in North Carolina during the past two months shows how the sentiment in favor of protection is growing in that State.

A member of Mr. Mills' star chamber committee says it has been fully determined to put lumber on the free list. Maine is a Republican State and will be cheerfully sacrificed so far as Chairman Mills and his Democratic colleagues are able to carry out their programme.

Ex-Congressman Cobb, who is announced in the Boston Post as "one of the most level-headed Democratic politicians in Indiana," says that Indiana is a "doubtful State." This does not tally with the claims put forth by the Democratic organs that the State is sure to give its electoral vote to the Democrats. Mr. Cobb does seem more level-headed than the party organs.

The Boston *Herald* says the Mugwump press "does not swallow everything that is placed before it as the party organs are obliged to do." Great scot, the Mugwump press has done nothing but swallow the professions put forth in Cleveland's behalf only to be thrust back upon them till its stomach is distending to the point of bursting, and the really cruel part of it is the President absolutely refuses to have the least pity for their overloaded capacity.

The individual signing himself "Tecumseh" writes the Portland *Argus* that "in brief, the plain English of Mr. Blaine's declination is that in the campaign of 1888 he believes that the Republican party is beaten at the start, and the rank and file of his party everywhere will so regard it." As we know all about it, "Tecumseh" has spoken and no doubt the Republicans will at once cancel the call for their National Convention as it would be real mean to make a false prophet of this cross-eyed politician.

The old Libby Prison is to be taken from Richmond to Chicago and set up as a sideshow to the bloody-shirt circus to exhibit in that city next June. Well, let her go higher. The building that was used for storing Yankees during the war has once served a similar purpose for commercial fertilizers. So you may tear it down and carry it away if you will, but the scent of those twin geraniums will hang 'round it still.

The above infamous extract is from the Democratic Shelbyville (Ind.) *Democrat*. How do the loyal veterans who are invited to give their support to a Democratic administration think about it?

West Virginia has Republican clubs composed exclusively of ex-Confederates. The Republican organs have not a word to say against them, but were they Democratic clubs the same organs would be calling upon the entire country to rise against them.—*Boston Post.*

The formation of such clubs is encouraging for the future of Virginia. As long as they hold to the Democratic faith they are, like Justice Lamar, but one idea, and that is to defend treason at all times. But with the spread of Republicanism they at once try to remedy the mistakes of the war by stimulating the industrial growth of the South. That is the difference between Republican clubs and Democratic clubs.

The difficulty encountered by those who go to Washington for a hearing before Mr. Mills' dark lantern committee is illustrated by the following from a Washington despatch: An indignant petitioner who complained of his way of doing the other day, was met by Mr. Mills with the excuse that it saved the time of the committee. "Oh, that's the idea, is it?" exclaimed the disgusted petitioner. "Well, I want you to understand that my time is precious too, and I'll waste no more of it chasing after your Ways and Means Committee. When I want to get anything into your committee hereafter I'll just catch you with a lasso and squirt it in with a force-pump. Good day, Mr. Mills."

The Boston *Herald* in attempting to account for President Cleveland's lack of popularity in his old home of Buffalo, said it was owing to the disappointment of office seekers. Possibly this is as good an apology as the *Herald* can formulate, but as there had been no opportunity for disappointed office seekers to come to the surface in 1884, the *Herald's* excuse will hardly account for the fact that Mr. Cleveland was beaten in his own county, city and ward when he appealed to his neighbors for their suffrages in the last election. Our Mugwump contemporary will have to look deeper for the real cause of this astonishing exhibition of unpopularity on the part of its candidate.

The English journals are very well pleased at Mr. Blaine's withdrawal and express the opinion that the Republican party will be wise not to attempt to force him to reconsider his determination. The British Lion never did love James.—*New York World.*

No, the English journals lavish their praise upon President Cleveland whose free trade message meets with their hearty approval. Mr. Blaine is a protectionist and these same journals would rather any other man than Blaine should head the Republican ticket because he is stronger with the people than any candidate named for the Presidency, and would more surely bring about an overwhelming defeat of the Cleveland policy from which they hope to reap a rich harvest if ever it gains a foot hold in this country. The real English journals as well as the second editions published in this country are all Cleveland organs.

The Mugwumps Give Themselves Away.

Where Mr. Blaine is concerned the Mugwump organs allow free rein to their spleen, the result being that in their blind rage they repeatedly give themselves dead away. The New York *Tribune* in stating the fact that Blainephobia makes unmitigated idiots of men says: Three days ago every Mugwump and free trade "independent" in the country was declaring, with intense conviction born of his own passionate hatred and fear, that Mr. Blaine had the Republican nomination absolutely secure, that he controlled the entire party organization, had manufactured public opinion everywhere with superhuman adroitness, had contrived clubs in every part of the country which were really Blaine clubs and would make his nomination irresistible, and that no other candidate had a ghost of a chance. Now these same unspeakable donkeys are declaring that Mr. Blaine pretends to withdraw, knowing that he would otherwise fail of a nomination, on the desperate chance that his party may be disposed to offer him the nomination nevertheless.

Men and brethren, this is too silly even for Mugwumps and free trade independents. A man really ought not to display himself in public as a drivelling idiot, the exhibition is offensive to the nerves of sane humanity. If Mr. Blaine wanted the nomination, he had it beyond all possibility of question. Certainly more than two-thirds of the delegates would have been in his favor without hesitation, argument or the slightest effort, simply because in more than two-thirds of the constituencies the great majority of voters preferred Mr. Blaine. They knew what he was, and what a splendid leader he had proved in a fight, and how effectively he had aroused public opinion to defend American industry and American rights. That was enough for the millions, and it was enough for the great majority of the political managers and workers.

If Mr. Blaine wanted the nomination, he had nothing to do but to keep still. The letter, therefore, must be regarded by men whose hatred or fright has not taken away their senses as the candid expression of Mr. Blaine's desire not to be nominated, though his nomination but for that expression would have been inevitable. So much common-sense compels one to believe, whatever may be conjectured as to his reasons for withdrawal. A sane man can believe, if he sees fit, that Mr. Blaine withdraws because he shrinks from another deluge of personal abuse; or because he thinks he might not be elected and does not wish to risk another defeat of his party. But the creature who attributes the letter to a desire to secure a nomination, which Mr. Blaine could have had without a doubt or a word, only defines himself as an idiot.

A Decided Irish Protest.

[From the Irish World.]

As *The Irish World* is not a Republican paper in the partisan sense, it would of course be an impertinence on our part to offer anything in the shape of advice to the Republican party managers. We are conscious, however, of being influenced by a sincerely patriotic devotion to our common country, as we believe them to be; we are proud of its history, we are solicitous for its welfare, and we are most anxious that no mistake shall be made in the next Presidential campaign. Feeling all this, and believing that our motives will not be misinterpreted, we are emboldened to submit, by way of suggestion, one or two remarks for their earnest consideration. That there are able statesmen in abundance in the Republican party cannot be questioned, and that any man in a list of perhaps a hundred of such would make a good President cannot be denied. It is not necessary here to make comparisons, but it is a matter of the first importance—and the statement goes without saying—to nominate that man who will be able to add most strength to the Republican party. New York is a pivotal State. The Republican party to be sure of victory in this State must win accessions from without the party lines and retain those already won. Here are the Mugwumps in force. Here, too, and in force, are the Irish.

Mugwumps are the political equivalent of the Tories of the American revolution. Their instincts are English and not American. They are free traders to a man, and they went out of the Republican party in 1884 because that party is the national party, and because its candidate was an American. The Irish, on the other hand, are protectionists. Undoubtedly a large majority of the workingmen are protectionists. Here is a material out of which to make fresh blood that will reinvigorate and give a new lease of power and usefulness and glory to the Republican party. On the confidence and affections of these elements no man in the Republican party, no, nor in the Democratic party, has so firm a hold as has James G. Blaine. It is not necessary for you to talk blarney or to play the demagogue. There is need only that you be true to the principles upon which the party of Abraham Lincoln was founded. The Mugwumps are not of you, and you ought to know it. For you to shape your policy on to select your candidate with a view to conciliate them is futile. They will be for Cleveland and free trade, no matter whom you nominate. And even if the Mugwumps should re-enter the party—which is not to be looked for—they would come back not to do honest work in the ranks but to perform for you the office of censors and dictators. Now, failure to nominate Blaine would be attributed to Mugwump influence; and the effect of such action, or non-action, would be to disgust thousands of voters who are in sympathy with what they have conceived to be the distinguishing principles of the Republican party, nor do we believe those voters would be confined exclusively to men of Irish blood. Is it wise to run any such risk? Is it right to alienate forces that naturally are of you and that should and must be with you to insure success?

Gentlemen! have the courage of your convictions and the courage of the great men of the Republican party. It was the magnetism of the courage of James G. Blaine that in 1884 brought the *Irish World*

over to the standard of your party. In that year we made a good fight, and since then we have keep up the good fight. We had resolved to make the campaign of 1888 the fight of our life in the belief that Blaine would be the leader and the standard-bearer again. Whether the seed that has been sown will continue to fructify or whether the labor performed will have been labor in vain will depend upon the counsels that shall prevail in the near future. Gentlemen of the Republican party, receive and consider what is here submitted to you in the spirit in which it is written and may God enlighten your minds and strengthen your hearts to see and to do what is the right thing!

Special Notices.

CONSISTENCY.

"The life agent's plea," says the New York Commercial Bulletin, "has sometimes been met by the honestly-stated belief that to insure their lives would be to distrust in Providence. But Providence rarely attempts to help those that make no effort to help themselves, and it is a peculiar fact that this trust in Providence rarely extends to their property, for that is usually well insured against loss. It looks very much, then, as if consistency was lacking in such individuals."

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In North Newburgh, Feb. 14th, by Rev. J. J. Miller, Mr. George H. Carter of Troy, and Mrs. Elizabeth S. Miller of Newburgh.

DIED.

In this city, Feb. 18th, Albert Holton, aged 90 years and 6 months.

Funeral from his late residence on Summer Street, Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited.

Marine Journal.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

NEW YORK. Ar 15th, schrs Lizzie Chadwick, Chadwick, Fernandina; Susan N Pickering, Haskell, Darien.

BOSTON. Ar 15th, schr A Hayford, Warren, New York. Cld, bark John H Stanhope, Martin, Wilmington, NC.

BALTIMORE. Cld 15th, brig J W Parker, Kane, Parahiba.

BEVERLY. Ar 15th, schr Louisa Hastings, Gray, Hoboken, is bound to Danversport, but will discharge her cargo here, as the river is closed to navigation.

MOBILE. Ar 15th, ship Norris, Bristow, New Orleans.

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Sld from Cadiz, Feb 15, brig Elizabeth Winslow, Oakes, St Thomas (? New York)

At Pernambuco, Jan 23, bark Lillian, Willey, from Rio Janeiro.

At Rio Janeiro, Jan 18, bark Beatrice Havener, unc.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Monetary Quotations.

NEW YORK, Feb 17. Money ranging on call from 2 a 3 per cent., closing at 2 a 00. Prime Mercantile paper 5 a 6. Sterling Exchange dull — 00 a 4.84½ for 60 days and 4.85¾ a 4.85⅞ for demand. Government bonds dull and steady. Railroad bonds quiet.

Adams Exp	[illegible]	Oregon Trans Con'l	[illegible]
American Ex	[illegible]	Pacific Mail	36
Central Pacific	[illegible]	Panama	[illegible]
Ches & Ohio	[illegible]	Pullman Palace	141½
Chicago Alto	[illegible]	Reading	[illegible]
" pref	[illegible]	Rock Island	112
Chic Bur & Q	[illegible]	St Louis & San Fran	33½
Del. Hudson	[illegible]	Preferred	[illegible]
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Ind Bloom & W	[illegible]	Preferred	[illegible]
Lake Erie & W	[illegible]	Texas Pacific	[illegible]
Lake Shore	[illegible]	Union Pacific	[illegible]
Louisville & N	[illegible]	U. S. Express	[illegible]
Manhattan E	[illegible]	Wabash, St L & Pac	14
Mich Cent	[illegible]	Preferred	26
Minn. & S L	[illegible]	Western Union	78¼
Preferred	[illegible]	BONDS	
Mo. Pacific	[illegible]	Threes	000
N. J. Cent	[illegible]	4s reg	125½
Northern Pac	[illegible]	4s Coup	125½
Preferred	[illegible]	4½s reg	106⅞
Northwestern	[illegible]	4½s coup	107⅞
Preferred	[illegible]	Cent Pac. lsts	113
N Y Cent	[illegible]	Den & Rio G. lsts	120
N Y Chic &	[illegible]	Erie Seconds	98⅞
Preferred	[illegible]	Kan. Pac. Consols	104
Ohio Cent	[illegible]	Oregon Nav. lsts	[illegible]
Ohio & Miss	[illegible]	Union Firsts	114
Ont. & West'n	[illegible]	Union Land Grants	[illegible]
		Union Sink. Fund	[illegible]

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, Feb 17. FLOUR — Receipts, 14,026, exports 1,857— 3,000—No 2, 2 00a3 45; superfine Western and State 2 45a3.00, common to good extra Western and State 2 90a3.35, good to choice do 3 40a5 00, common to good extra Ohio, 2 90 a 5.00, common to choice extra St. Louis 2.90a5.00, Clear wheat extra, 4 40 a 4.75, winter wheat extra, 5.00. Southern flour — Minnesota extra, 2.00a extra, 3.50a4 00; sales 550—Common to fair extra, do choice do, 4.15a5.00. Rye flour steady.

WHEAT—receipts 100, exports 23,536; sales 140,000; No 2 Red 89½ a 89¾; No. 2 Red, 00 a 92; No. 1 white, 00a00.

Rye dull.

BARLEY steady — No. 1 Canada, 1.04.

CORN—sales 00,000; No. 2, 58a58½; steamer, 58¾ a 58½; elevator, 59½a60¾, No. 2, 60a60⅜, elevator, 61½a61¾.

OATS — Receipts, 142,000; exports, 75; sales 105,000—No. 3, 38; do. white, 38½ a39¾, No. 2, 38 a 39½, do. white, 40a 41¼, No. 1, 00; do. white, 41a41¼; mixed western, 38a41; white do., 41a47.

MOLASSES —sales 00 bbls.—Orleans.

SUGAR firm — Standard A, 0 0-00 a 5¾; granulated, 5¾ a 0; powdered, 7 a 0 000, cut loaf, 7½a00; crushed, 7½ a 00; confectioners, 0 11-16a0; yellow, 5¼a ¾.

PETROLEUM — United, 89½ a 00; refined, 00 00, crude in barrels, 6½a6¾.

TALLOW steady—sales 00 lbs., 00, choice, 00.

PORK steady—sales 000 bbls.—Mess, P. T., 00.00 a old; 15.75a16.50 new.

Beef dull.

LARD higher — Western steam, 0 a 7 95; refined 7.80a8.00; cont., 8.35a0 00.

BUTTER quiet — Western, 14 a 30; State, 17 a 23; Creamery, 27a28.

CHEESE quiet — State, 11¾a30; Western, 12¾ a 00.

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17. Flour steady. WHEAT — Regular, 00 a 00. No. 2 Chicago Spring, 75¾a77, No. 3 Spring, 0a00; No. 2 Red, 00.

CORN — No. 2, 47¾a00.

OATS — No. 2, 27¾a29.

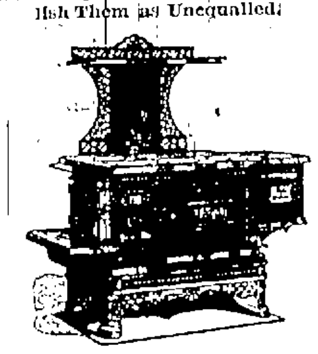
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The subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned, that he has been duly appointed and has taken upon himself the trust of an Executor of the Last Will and Testament of SAMUEL C. BARTON, late of Bangor, in the County of Penobscot, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs. He therefore requests all persons who are indebted to the estate of said deceased, to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon, to present the same for settlement to him.

ASHER H. BARTON, Executor.

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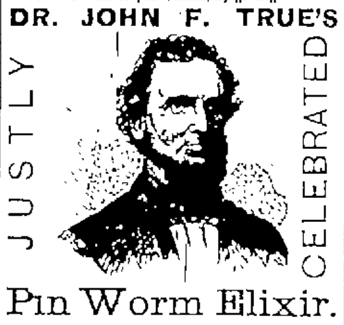
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The annual meeting of this Association for the election of officers and the transaction of business, will be holden at the Penobscot Exchange in Bangor, on Tuesday, the sixth day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18,

BY TELEGRAPH.

MAINE NEWS.

BREAKS HER WAY THROUGH.

Steamer Sebenoa Makes a Round Trip between Mount Desert Ferry and Bar Harbor.

[Special to the Whig and Courier.]

MT. DESERT FERRY, Feb. 17. Steamer Sebenoa made one trip to Bar Harbor this afternoon by breaking heavy ice from Hancock Point to the Porcupines, arriving at Bar Harbor at 3.10 P. M., with a load of freight, returning to the Ferry in season to connect with the afternoon train.

FROM BRUNSWICK.

An Old Lady Burned to Death.

BRUNSWICK, Feb. 17. Mrs. [illegible] Brewer, a widow, 80 years old, living on the Flying Point road, six miles from Brunswick, was burned to death Thursday morning. The house and contents were totally destroyed. The fire was discovered too late for the neighbors to render any assistance. Mrs. Brewer had a daughter living in Durham.

FROM ELLSWORTH.

Successful Leap Year Party.

ELLSWORTH, Feb. 17. The leap year party under the auspices of the [illegible] at Hancock Hall, last evening, was a [illegible] success. A hundred couples took part. The music was by Andrews' Orchestra of Bangor.

WOOLEN MILLS BURNED.

A Bad Blaze at South Windham.

PORTLAND, Feb. 17. The woolen mills owned by T. L. Robinson at South Windham, were burned to the ground this morning, cause unknown. The loss is covered by an insurance of $5,000.

Particulars of the fire are that about 4 a. m. fire caught in the engine house between the two woolen mills owned by T. L. Robinson and both buildings, with all the machinery, were burned flat to the ground. They were wooden structures, two stories high. The bridge over the Presumpscot river was also burned on the Windham side, the part that was burned being entirely destroyed. About sixty hands were thrown out of employment. Very few knew of the fire until the flames had enveloped the buildings and an attempt was made to save them. The loss is $20,000 or more insured for $15,000.

FROM BIDDEFORD.

Horribly Burned with Benzine.

BIDDEFORD, Feb. 17. [illegible] Low, carriage painter of Saco, was horribly burned this morning by the explosion of some benzine which he was using to clean old paint from a wheel. His clothing was nearly all burned to a crisp and his face and body were fearfully burned. His recovery is doubtful. He is thirty years old and married.

STAIN'S ALIBI.

The Fire Company Clerk Denies the Statement Imputed to Him.

MEDFIELD, Mass., Feb. 16. A sensational report of an alleged discovery of evidence of an alibi in the Stain case published in two Boston evening papers created a good deal of excitement in this quiet town to-night. The report purported to be a statement made by J. H. Baker, a well-known resident, local reporter for a Boston daily and clerk of the Medfield Engine Company, that Stain in 1878, at the time of the murder of Cashier Barron at Dexter, was a member of the fire company and that on the evening of Feb. 22, 1878, the very day of the murder for which David L. Stain was present at a meeting of the engine company, which meeting was held at Stain's house. It was further stated in the published reports referred to that Mr. Baker had discovered the record of that meeting in the book wherein are kept the minutes of all the company's official gatherings, and that he communicated with Lawyer W. W. [illegible], of Dexter, and Mr. Baker of Bangor, Stain's counsel, in regard to the matter.

A reporter called on Mr. Baker to-night. "I do not know who originated such a statement," said the gentleman. "I certainly never gave out anything like authority for the publication. It is true that I have looked up the records of the company. It is true that David L. Stain was, from about June 1877 a member of this company. But he was not a member in 1878. A meeting could not have been held at his house, as it was because a meeting has never been held in the house of anybody who was not a member. The records for the year 1878 are missing. Benjamin F. [illegible], who was clerk then, but he has moved away from the town. I do not believe that the minutes were kept as fully during and previous to that time as they are now. The books of 1878 and 1879 are the only ones missing. I have a complete file of all others since 1880. The town records show that D. L. Stain has drawn pay for his services as fireman since 1879, up to the time of his arrest last fall."

Mr. Baker stated that he would probably be a witness in the approaching trial at Bangor and related how this came about. "I can swear that D. L. Stain was in Medfield about Feb. 18, 1878, four days before the perpetration of the murder with which he is now charged," said Mr. Baker. "I keep a diary, and have done so for years. In this diary I enter the most trivial occurrences in the routine of my life. Feb. 18, 1878, there is an entry of my having taken to David Stain a pair of boots to be tapped and heeled. I can remember of seeing him on this occasion."

"There is something I would like to say right here in connection with Fowle's statement to the effect that in 1878 he was driving asleep through railway guard gates and past the signal house, and that he encountered Stain at the time. There was no guard gates and no signal house, no signal man here then. The gates were not put up until about 1880, after an old man named J. P. Coleman had been quite seriously injured through being struck by a train. The road was then the Mansfield and Framingham."

BRIG HARRY STEWART

Relieved in Distress by Revenue Cutter Woodbury.

BOOTHBAY, Feb. 17. Revenue cutter Woodbury this afternoon, between Monhegan and Seguin, fell in with the disabled brig Harry Stewart, Blake, master, of Bangor, with her crew frost-bitten, from Perth Amboy for Portland. The vessel was towed in to this port this evening.

AUGUSTA REPUBLICANS

Elect Delegates to the Portland Convention of Clubs.

AUGUSTA, Feb. 17. The Young Republican Club of this city, at a meeting this evening, elected Hon. J. H. Manley, F. E. Southard, F. W. Matthews, Oscar Graves and Charles O. Hunt, with alternates, Thomas Brennan, James A. Jones, Charles F. Flynt, L. B. Hill and H. H. Cansland, as delegates to the Portland Convention of Republican Clubs to form a State League. Hon. O. C. Moore, of Nashua, N. H., and Hon. William Looney, of Portland, will address the convention in March.

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MAINE NEWS.

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Mt Desert Ferry, Feb 17 Steamer [illegible] to Bar Harbor this [illegible] breaking heavy ice from [illegible] to the Porcupines, arriving [illegible] Bar Harbor at 3 10 [illegible] with a heavy [illegible] returning to the Ferry in [illegible] to connect with the afternoon [illegible]

FROM BRUNSWICK

An old Lady Burned to Death.

[illegible] Feb 17 Mrs Hezekiah [illegible] year old living alone [illegible] road, six miles [illegible] was burned to death [illegible] morning The house and barn [illegible] destroyed The fire was discovered [illegible] for the neighbors to render [illegible] Mrs Brewer has a [illegible] in Durham

FROM ELLSWORTH

[illegible] Leap Year Party.

[illegible] Feb 17 The leap year [illegible] of the ladies, at [illegible] evening was a great [illegible] couples took part [illegible] Andrews Orchestra of [illegible]

[illegible] MILLS BURNED

[illegible] at South Windham

[illegible] Feb 17 The woolen mill [illegible] at Mallison [illegible] was burned to the [illegible] cause unknown [illegible] by an insurance of [illegible]

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[illegible] Clerk Denies the Statement [illegible] Him

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[illegible] HARRY STEWART

Relieved in Distress by Revenue Cutter Woodbury

[illegible] Feb 17 Revenue cutter Woodbury this afternoon, between Monhegan and [illegible] fell in with the disabled [illegible] Harry Stewart Blake, master, of Bangor, with her crew frost-bitten, from [illegible] for Portland The vessel was [illegible] to this port this evening.

AUGUSTA REPUBLICANS

Elect Delegates to the Portland Convention of Clubs.

Augusta, Feb 17 The Young Republican Club of this city, at a meeting this evening elected Hon J H Manley, F E [illegible], F W Matthews, Oscar H. Graves and Charles C Hunt, with alternates, Thomas Brennan James A. Jones, Charles F Flynt, L B Hill and H H McCausland, as delegates to the Portland Convention of Republican Clubs to form a State League Hon O C Moore, of Nashua, N H, and Hon. William H. Looney, of Portland, will address the club in March.

THE DEXTER BANK CASE.

Taking Evidence in Massachusetts

Franklin, Mass, Feb 17. William H. Drury, of Boston, was here to-day, taking testimony in the David L. Stain case. He had a long consultation with J. H. Fowler of Norfolk, and Mrs. Henry Thomas. Fowler resides in Norfolk not Franklin, as has been stated.

FROM WASHINGTON.

News About the Capital.

The Pacific Railroad Matter

Washington, Feb 17. It was to-day stated informally by one of the members of the Pacific Railroad Investigating committee that Mr. Anderson, of Iowa, had declined to appear before the committee in support of his bill directing a criminal prosecution of the Pacific Railroad officials.

A Measure of Justice Defeated

The bill to exempt American coastwise sailing vessels, piloted by their licensed masters, or by a United States pilot, from obligation to pay State pilots for services which are not actually rendered, was defeated by the House Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries to-day.

The Proposed Treaty

The Administration had desired to have the fishery treaty with Great Britain made public as soon as possible, but it lost its opportunity to do this until next week by failing to send the treaty to the Senate for that body adjourned over until Monday, and will not, consequently, be in session to receive the treaty until next week Whether or not the Senate will decide to make the text of the document public is yet to be determined

It is possible now to give a clearer view of what the treaty actually proposes than was possible upon the basis of the information collected necessarily with so much haste and under so much difficulty on yesterday A gentleman who has read the draft of the treaty says this respecting its provisions

The United States has gained almost all that it has contended for in the fishery matter with the exception of the right to purchase bait It has secured most of the commercial privileges which were denied by the treaty of 1818 The fishing vessels will have the right to touch and trade in Canadian ports and to have all the commercial privileges which merchantmen of friendly nations have, with the exception that purchase of bait is excluded

The equivalent or apparent equivalent which the United States gives to Canada in return for these concessions If you choose to so put it, or in recognition of commercial rights and privileges, if you prefer to put it in that way, is that the theory for which Great Britain has contended in respect to the marine league is in part recognized But this recognition is only in part, for Great Britain is compelled to abandon the headlands theory and cannot claim exclusive jurisdiction over any of the grand partly land locked bays

The marine league limit is to be fixed, some say, at three miles from shore I am confident you will find, when the treaty is published that it will be four miles from the shore In cases of bays that are eight miles wide at their mouths the treaty specifies that the bay shall be exclusively within the jurisdiction of Canada, and in the case of a number of bays where the distance between the headlands is a fraction more than eight miles the United States has consented that these waters shall be regarded as within the exclusive jurisdiction of Canada The theory has been in these cases that the marginal fraction over the eight mile width would be so small that it would give no practical advantage to the American fishermen, while the boundary limitations would be so narrow that if American fishermen endeavored to fish in such narrow quarters there would be constant opportunities offered for quarrel between fishermen of the two countries

In other words, the advantages would not commensurate with the dangers involved, so that in a few instances it has been decided to extend this limit the bays in each instance being named in the treaty As to all other bays and inlets and the entire Canadian shore, the four mile limit is definitely fixed as the boundary of in shore fisheries

The Canadian Commissioners were much surprised that the Americans were willing to make this concession as to the in shore fisheries The Canadians expected from the outset that the Americans would insist that those in shore fisheries were the most valuable, and that the Americans wished to obtain at least an equal right to fish in them But the American Commissioners, in making this concession have acted in strict accordance with the position which the fishermen themselves and their more immediate representatives have taken namely, that they do not consider the in shore fisheries of special value that they are, in fact, of little value when compared with deep sea fishing beyond the marine league limit, and that American fishermen would be very willing to relinquish any claim to the in shore fisheries provided they could secure the right to touch and trade in Canadian ports It is to be noted, however that in making this definition as to the boundary, it is limited entirely to questions relating only to fisheries between the two countries, and this interpretation of the marine league is not applied to other waters of the United States, to the Chesapeake Bay or the Alaskan waters, for instance The American Commissioners would never have been likely to have yielded this principle as to the Chesapeake Bay, and the differences between the two Governments with respect to Berings Sea, are not brought into the treaty

The right given to American vessels to touch and trade in Canadian ports is conditioned upon a payment of a license in the shape of a tonnage, which is to continue so long as Canadian fish are kept upon the dutiable list in the American tariff but no longer than that The amount of license to be paid is a matter which can be regulated only by act of the Canadian Parliament, and in this respect the treaty cannot go into effect until after such action has been taken Inasmuch as the treaty is wholly reciprocal, and a like tonnage tax may be imposed by the United States upon Canadian vessels under like circumstances, that tax must also be necessarily established by Congress

THE NAIL TRADE.

The Manufacturers form a Combination

Boston, Feb 17 The Commercial Bulletin will say to-morrow that the efforts to form a close combination of nail manufacturers in New England, New York, New Jersey, eastern Pennsylvania, Maryland and Virginia are successful At New York, Thursday, thirteen of the twenty-five manufacturers signed an agreement to cut down production forty per cent The remaining twelve are expected to sign on Saturday Any firm exceeding its rate of production will forfeit $3,000 Prices have been slightly advanced Western manufacturers are expected to do likewise

A BAD WIFE.

Causes Two Men's Deaths

St Louis, Mo, Feb 17. In Bald Knob township, last night, Thomas Waltham suddenly returned home, suspecting his wife's infidelity, and found Jim Blakeney in the bedroom. Blakeney tried to get out, and shot Waltham three times and one of Waltham's children once The injured husband shot and killed Blakeney and then fell mortally wounded.

PHIL. SHERIDAN A BUCKEYE.

His Mother Says He was Born in Ohio.

New York, Feb. 17. A Herald special from Somerset, Ohio, has an account of an interview with Gen Phil. Sheridan's mother, who is in her 87th year. She said: "General Sheridan was born in Somerset, Ohio, on the 6th day of March, 1831 We had lived in Somerset a little over a year before he was born, coming here in the latter part of 1829."

"There are rumors that he was born in Albany, N. Y."

"Yes that likely comes from our living there before we moved to Somerset."

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Work of the Grand Jury.

Dover, Feb. 17. The grand jury for the February term of the Supreme Court concluded its work to-night, reporting forty-two indictments.

ENDED AT LAST.

The Reading Coal Strike Over and Work to be Resumed To-day.

An Amicable Settlement Arrived at.

Philadelphia, Pa, Feb. 17. The following letters have been exchanged between Mr. Corbin and Mr. Lewis:

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb 16, 1888
Austin Corbin, Esq., President Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Co.:

Sir—Being desirous of bringing the strike in the mining region of the Reading Coal and Iron Company to a close, in order to get the working people in and about those mines to work, and speaking for those working men I propose to order a resumption of work at once upon your assurance that I can promise the men that after they have gone to work and mining operations are in regular progress the subject of wages will be considered in a conference between the company and the employes and their representatives, and upon further assurance that no one shall be discriminated against by reason of his connection with the strike

Yours, etc

W. T. Lewis

President Corbin's Reply

Philadelphia, Feb 17, 1888

To Mr W. T. Lewis

My Dear Sir—Am in receipt of your favor of this date and have consulted Mr Keim President of the Coal and Iron Co in relation to its contents I am authorized by him to say that it is substantially in accord with our position and such action will be satisfactory to us No one will be discriminated against because of his connection with the strike, so it is not understood as protecting such men as have made or attempted to make, personal assaults on men remaining at work, and provided further that in any conference over the wages the miners must not expect us to pay a higher rate for mining than that paid by other coal companies in competition with us, namely, the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, Delaware and Hudson, Lehigh Valley, Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company, and the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Company, but with the understanding that we are willing to adopt a basis that shall give our miners as much as is paid by either of those companies It is understood that the wages to be paid the men returning to work will be on the old $2.50 basis and will remain under that basis until a change is mutually agreed on

Yours truly,

Austin Corbin

Conditions of the Agreement.

It is learned that a conditional agreement between Master Workman Lewis and President Corbin was made this afternoon, which provides that the Schuylkill miners shall return on Monday morning The only condition is that Mr Lewis shall submit it to the joint executive board of Miners and Laborers' Amalgamated Association and the Knights for approval before it becomes co-operative The conference between Lewis and Corbin was brought about by the efforts of a few prominent citizens who labored long and hard for an early termination of the trouble Their actions were kept secret

The Men Ordered to Return to Work

Pottsville, Pa, Feb 17 Orders were signed at 11.30 to-night, to the employes of the Reading Coal and Iron Company to resume work on Monday morning, Feb 20 The order says it does not include any company but the Reading in Lehigh region, including the miners of the Lehigh region, including Panther Creek Valley, the necessity of maintaining a firm stand until those companies are willing to submit the question involved to a conference, with assurances that no disturbing shall take place after starting the mines The order is signed by W T Lewis Master Workman of National District Assembly, 135; John H Davis Chairman Joint Executive Committee; Richard Thompson, Master Workman District 12 and Isaac Rinn Master Workman District 14

Terrible Destitution Among Miners

There is terrible destitution among the miners One family has been without food two days and the children are so weak from fasting that when relief came food had to be sparingly given to avoid killing them Nine in one family and no other of six are in an absolute state, and one named Jordan says it almost as bad There instances have many parallels

FIFTIETH CONGRESS—First Session.

House

Washington, Feb 17 The Blair education bill was laid before the House and referred to the Committee on Education

Mr Milliken, of Maine said that on the 7th inst he had offered a resolution directing the Secretary of the Treasury to investigate the sugar trust in New York The resolution has been referred to the Committee of Manufactures, but as yet no report has been made upon it and he saw no prospect of a report He moved that the committee be instructed to report back the resolution Friday next, agreed to

The House then resumed consideration of the urgency deficiency bill An amendment instructing the public printer to enforce rigidly the provisions of the eight hour law was adopted The bill was then passed

The House passed the bill for the relief of Nathaniel McKay, and the executors of Donald McKay, naval contractors It also adopted a resolution calling on the Commissioner of Fish and Fisheries to report the expenditures of the Fish Commission for the last fiscal year and the first seven months of the current fiscal year An hour of disorder and noise followed over holding a session to-morrow or adjourning till Monday An adjournment was finally taken till Monday

RAILROAD NEWS

Urging the Abatement of Taxes

Concord, N H Feb 17 Judge Smith of the Supreme Court is engaged to-day hearing the petition of the Boston, Concord and Montreal Railroad for an abatement of taxes, aggregating $4,000, levied in 1881

IMPORTING SMALL POX.

Another Arrival in San Francisco

San Francisco, Cal., Feb 17 Steamer City of Peking arrived from China and Japan this morning with several cases of small pox among her passengers She was placed in quarantine This is the fifth successive steamer which has arrived with small pox A quarantine boat is now occupied by several hundred Chinese who arrived on the infected vessel

NEW YORK

Squire's Counsel Files a Demurrer.

New York, Feb 17 Counsel for Rollin M. Squire to-day filed a demurrer to the indictment for conspiracy against him The demurrer states that the indictment does not contain allegations constituting crime

THE FISHERY TREATY.

Canadians Unable to Learn Its Provisions

Ottawa, Ont., Feb 17. The draft of the fishery treaty arrived from Washington yesterday, and was it is understood, considered at the meeting of the cabinet in the afternoon. The nature of the document is to be kept secret until it is laid before Parliament Politicians here continue to assert that concessions equally as important as those yielded by the Canadians have been granted by the American commission Sir Charles Tupper and Mr. Thompson are expected to return to-morrow.

FOREIGN NEWS.

An Important Gladstonian Victory.

London, Feb. 17. The election in the west division of Southwark, to-day, resulted in the return of Causton, Gladstonian. The Liberal vote increased 1,073 over the election last year and the Tory vote decreased 50.

The Daily News says that the result of the Southwark election is of profound political portent. Not only is it a heavy blow to the government but also a sign of Tory decay.

A Gunpowder Outrage

Dublin, Feb. 17. A packet of gunpowder attached to a leaden ball was thrown into the house of Inspector Kelley at Skibbereen, to-day. The explosion which followed totally demolished the furniture and partially wrecked the building. The inmates escaped serious injury.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Six pieces of Andrews' orchestra go to Houlton next Thursday to furnish music for a ball.

Mr. A. C. Morton will sing at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-morrow afternoon at the song service beginning at 3 45.

The funeral services of the late Albert Holton, Esq., will be held at his late residence on Summer street, to-morrow afternoon, at 2 30 o'clock.

A number of our sportsmen were out with their dogs yesterday after a shot at rabbits which are quite plenty in the [illegible] in this vicinity.

[illegible] annual meeting of the Penobscot [illegible] Association will take place on [illegible] March 6th, at 10 A. M., at the [illegible] Exchange

[illegible] indebted to Capt. H. N. Fairbanks, who is now on an extended trip [illegible] the South, for a copy of the Atlanta (Ga) Constitution

[illegible] school at North Bangor has been [illegible] this week on account of the illness [illegible] teacher, Mrs Shepherd It will be [illegible] however, next Monday morning

[illegible] doctor George W. Maling of the [illegible] and Bar Harbor route, is on a trip to Boston During his absence [illegible] being taken by Conductor Robbins

[illegible] Duty of Forgiveness' is the subject [illegible] discussion at the Teacher's Bible [illegible] this afternoon The class meets in [illegible] Baptist parlor at 4 o'clock, and [illegible] welcomed

[illegible] booksellers report a very large sale [illegible] Potter of Texas' and the edition [illegible] to be disposed of in a short time [illegible] probably prove as popular as "Mr Barnes of New York"

The planking of the new steamer being built at Brewer for Mr Charles [illegible] of Enfield to run on Cold Stream Pond has been finished and it will not be long before the steamer is completed

The Daughters of Rebekah will have a [illegible] to-night to the residence of Mr Ar[illegible] Merrill, on the corner of Fourteenth and Union streets where a sociable will be held A pleasant time is anticipated

The young ladies of the Universalist church are preparing a "Pogers Statuary" entertainment, to be given in the vestry of the church on Thursday evening of next week It promises to be a fine affair

The sleighing in many of the country roads is very hard, the recent snow having drifted quite badly There were very few teams moving over the roads yesterday and it was as quiet there as any day this winter

The Garfield Lodge I O O F Winter port have just had new chairs for their hall The chairs are of solid walnut upholstered in rich crimson plush and were furnished by the G W Merrill Furniture Company

The yesterday morning's down freight train of the Bangor and Piscataquis Railroad had thirty-one cars to Old Town, twenty-nine of them being well loaded The freight business is very good for this season of the year

Mr. Boody is making arrangements to start a writing school next Monday evening at East Bangor, and great interest is being taken in the project He has a writing school at North Bangor where he is meeting with great success

Our Church Way-Mark, the annual publication of the Columbia street Baptist church for 1888 has been issued It contains much matter of interest to the members of the parish and others and ably presents the progress and aim of the church

The First Baptist Society had a very pleasant sociable at the church parlors last evening A very large number were in attendance and the occasion was greatly enjoyed During the evening delicious refreshments were served The occasion was very successful and enjoyed to the utmost by all in attendance

Mansfield & Co received an order recently from the Connecticut Lumber Company for fifteen hundred of their well known steel ring Orono cant dogs and they are now rushed with orders from all parts of the United States They ship large quantities of their cant dogs to Wisconsin, Michigan and other western States

A party of gentlemen went out to Pushaw yesterday and made a visit to the party among whom were Messrs C J Snow, William Bishop and Charles Batchelder They have a cook, and are very comfortably situated Yesterday one of the party caught the largest pickerel that has been seen this winter, it weighing about five pounds

The Dover people are to be treated to a fine concert and ball to be given some time in March by the Tea Associates, of that place Music will be furnished by Andrews' full orchestra, with solos by Mr S H Boardman, Mr M H Andrews and Mr R B Hall Arrangements will be made for half fare on the railroads It will undoubtedly be the musical event of the season at Dover

Mr J F Campbell who has been connected with the electric light station for a number of months, has resigned and will sever his connection with the station to night Mr Campbell has performed his duties most efficiently, and has made many friends while in this city He has a number of situations in view but will remain at his home in Hampden for a few weeks before accepting any of them

The coming Business Men's reception at the rooms of the Y M C A , tendered by the Ladies' Auxiliary, next Thursday, promises to be one of the social events of the season All the business men of our city are invited with their wives. All members of the auxiliary will co-operate by calling and otherwise aiding to make the reception a success Last year over 400 callers were received during the day

The third lecture in the series upon "Grecian Art" written by Miss Stetson, was delivered yesterday afternoon in the Central church parlors by Rev. Dr. Field before a large audience It proved very interesting and instructive, as those which preceded have, and it was closely listened to by all. It was probably the last lecture in the course, which has been enjoyed by all who have had the privilege of attending.

Happy Hour Association. A large [illegible] of the Universalist church and [illegible] school met Thursday evening at [illegible] pastor's residence on Center street and [illegible] two pleasant and happy hours in [illegible] conversation, interspersed with [illegible] and games. It is the intention to [illegible] a few of these social meetings during the remainder of the season, and officers [illegible] a committee were elected for that purpose. Mrs. James Adams was elected President, and Mrs. Oscar F. Patten Secretary and Treasurer. The committee for the next entertainment consists of Mr. A. B. Peckham, Mrs. E. Kingsbury and Miss Mamie Staples. The place of the next meeting is the residence of Mr. James Adams on West Broadway and the date Thursday evening, March 1st.

While Mr. William Nickerson and a little boy were driving up the Hampden road yesterday afternoon the bit broke, and the horse being frightened, ran away. He went at a lively rate up the road and down Main street, Mr. Nickerson guiding him as best he could. The animal turned up Cross street, where he was stopped Strange to say no damage was done either the runaway team or other teams by collision, notwithstanding the crowded state of the streets at the time.

The ship George Stetson has been repaired at a very reasonable cost at St Thomas and proceeded on her way to Liverpool Feb. 7th. It will be remembered that she put into St Thomas leaking badly while on her voyage from San Francisco to Liverpool Capt W B Higgins, of this city, who went to St Thomas about three weeks ago to superintend the repairs, returned to his home Thursday. The vessel has been put in excellent condition and will probably not soon be troubled again with leaking

Lumber Camp Burned Parker's lumbering camp at George's Corner on the Ellsworth Road was burned a day or two ago The camp crew consisted of four men, and they left the camp as usual in the morning and went to work in the woods in the vicinity When they came back for their dinner they found that the camp had burned to the ground They do not know how it caught All of their clothing, bedding, tools, etc., were consumed and although the loss in dollars and cents is not very heavy yet the loss of the camp at this time when they are busily at work is quite a severe one

Lumber on the St Croix Nearly as much lumber will be cut this season by St Croix operatives as during last winter Messrs F H Todd & Sons will cut about two-thirds as much as last year they having a large stock of logs remaining over The operations of Messrs J Murchie & Sons will include about fourteen million feet those of Gates & Wentworth about ten million feet Messrs C F Todd & Sons will cut about the same as last year Messrs H F Eaton & Sons will cut about eighteen million feet The total cut will be about fifty five million feet, or [illegible] sixty million last year The winter thus far has been a fairly good one for logging operations

Getting Her Money's Worth Many of the travellers who leave this city purchase the twenty five cents a day travellers' insurance tickets in case of accident and the numbers who do invest increases every day One day this week a lady after purchasing her railroad ticket walked off but soon returned as though she missed something and said to Ticket Agent Benson that she wanted her insurance ticket Mr Benson informed her that she could obtain an insurance ticket for twenty five cents a day "Oh, that so" she murmured "I thought they went with the other ticket" The price seemed to discourage her and she walked off without investing in an insurance certificate

Griffin's Mill Mr David Greeley is doing a large business this winter, both in the woods and at his mill on Sebec Lake says the Observer He has sawed so far over 200,000 feet of spool lumber and has a large amount cut in the woods now ahead of the sawyers He has twenty four men and a dozen horses and one yoke of oxen at work in the woods cutting and yarding out white birch while at the mill twenty men are sawing it up into the required dimensions for the extensive spool works of F H Dudley & Co in Foxcroft The work of hauling out the sawed lumber to the factory Mr Greeley lets out, several gentlemen having teams at work in that capacity This business makes Greeley's Mills quite a lively place, as he has to board a number of the crew at his board ing house there and furnish supplies for his men in the woods Mr Greeley is full of push

Site for the Experimental Station The committee of location of the Trustees of the Maine State College, consisting of President Fernald Hon Z A Gilbert and Gen Charles Hamlin, visited the College grounds at Orono, yesterday, for the purpose of viewing sites for the Experimental station which is to be erected The committee looked over the ground in a thorough manner with regard to the best selection but owing to various considerations, made no choice yesterday The proposed sites which are three, and of which one will be chosen, are as follows Between Coburn Hall and the Laboratory, between the Q T V society building and the Farm House, or the high land between the house of Prof Aubert on the river side, and the old White Farm House Each site is an excellent one but each has its inconveniences The committee will render their report in regard to the choice of site in two or three weeks in season not to interfere in the least in the building plans.

In His Inside Pocket A man appeared at the police station yesterday afternoon and informed City Marshal Whitney that he had been robbed of $40 In answer to the questions of the Marshal and the officers present he stated that he had gone into a saloon and taken a few drinks After leaving it and going down Exchange street a short distance he missed $40 but could not tell who had taken it from him The officers got from him a description of his companions at the saloon and what was done there but he was not very clear in his statements He was then asked if he was sure that he had not placed the money in some other pocket besides his outside overcoat pockets as he stated He said that he was It was thought best, however, to be sure of this, so one of the officers searched the man's pockets In the inside vest pocket the $40 was found snugly rolled up and not in the hands of the bold buccaneers, as the man had stated The cobwebs were removed from his brain by a short visit to the cooler

Distressing Accident Miss Gertrude Cunningham met with a very severe accident yesterday forenoon at the Bangor Steam Laundry, on Central street where she was employed She had turned on the steam for the mangle and put her left hand on the cylinder to test the heat at the same time being engaged in conversation with a friend when her arm was caught between the rolls, stripping off the skin from the wrist and hand The machinery was stopped as soon as possible and the arm was extricated after much difficulty, it being necessary to remove the roller Mr Edward Wilder in attempting to slip the belt from the pully had his arm caught and had not the belt been loose, a painful wound might have been the consequence Miss Cunningham was removed to her home on Fern street and physicians were summoned who attended to the injuries It was found necessary to take fifty stitches The arm was quite badly crushed, but it is hoped that the hand may be saved The young lady formerly lived in Bucksport and had been employed at the laundry only about six weeks

APOLLO QUARTETTE CONCERT

A Pleasant Musical Event in City Hall

The concert given by the Apollo Quartette in City Hall last evening was largely attended and proved very successful and enjoyable The music presented was of a high order and was much appreciated by all the lovers of the best music and there were many present The stage which was furnished by the Atkinson House Furnishing Company presented a very attractive appearance Soon after eight o'clock the concert began and the following was the

PROGRAMME

PART ONE

1 Quintette, Image of the Rose — Reichardt
Mrs Potter and Apollo Quartette
2 Quartette No 24 Composed in 1777 — Mozart
Allegro Andantino, Adagio Allegro.
Messrs Andrews Wasgatt, Boardman and Wasgatt
3 Canzone — Handel
Mr W A Palmer
4 Solo Der Freischutz Scena and Prayer — Von Weber
Mrs Helen Winslow Potter
5 Autoharp, Familiar Airs, — Selected
Miss Mae Sibley

PART TWO

6 Quartette, Robin Adair — Buck
Apollo Quartette
7 Duet, Adagio, — Alard
Messrs. Andrews and Wasgatt
8 Solo, Das Vergiss Meinnicht, — Suppe
Mr Asa C Morton
9 Quartette No 23, Composed in 1777 — Mozart
Allegro, Menuetto
Messrs Andrews Wasgatt, Boardman and Wasgatt
10 Solo Dream of a Violet, — Rockel
Mr A G Ray
11 Sextette — Chopin Voorbich
Mrs Potter, Mr M H Andrews and Apollo Quartette

Mrs Potter rendered "Der Freischutz" in a charming manner, singing with the utmost expression and the best of effect as was shown by the hearty encore, to which she responded with a fine selection Miss Sibley gave much pleasure by her selection upon the autoharp, an instrument never before heard in public in this city Its silvery tones were finely brought out and Miss Sibley was obliged to respond to an encore

The quintette selection by Mrs Potter and the Apollo Quartette was greatly enjoyed and it was one of the best in the programme Andrews' string quartette rendered some splendid musical compositions in a very skillful and pleasing manner. This excellent organization is heard but too rarely and it is to be hoped that its future appearances will be more frequent. Mr. Palmer sang his solo very finely and made an excellent impression upon his hearers.

The Apollo Quartette always sing splendidly and last night was no exception to the rule. They gave some new and excellent selections in a pleasing manner. The duet by Messrs. Andrews and Wasgatt was a skillful and pleasing piece of musical rendition and it was a source of much pleasure. Mr. Morton, as usual, sang his solo in a manner that called for a well merited encore, to which he responded. Mr. Ray's solo was much enjoyed and the appreciation of the audience was shown by the encore that was given him. The sextette selection by Mrs. Potter, Mr Andrews and the Apollo Quartette was very well received and hearty applause followed it. The concert was a success from beginning to end and the programme was a fine one.

Pleasant Sociable at the Brewer M E Chapel Our Brewer correspondent writes The young people connected with the Brewer M E church held another of their pleasant gatherings at their chapel Thursday evening, February 16th The chapel was well filled at an early hour The following programme was presented and enjoyed by all present Duet, "The Rose Bush," Rev A A Lewis and Mrs. W B Barstow, recitation, "Mother's Boy," Midge Nickerson, five tableaux, illustrative of Mother Goose and the Bachelor, recitation, Mr. Mea, of Bangor, tableau, "Union Forever," with music, song by the Infant Quartette of Bangor, two tableaux, "Execution of Joan of Arc," recitation, Mr Mea The recitations of Mr Mea and the song by the quartette were encored and brought forth responses which were very pleasing After the entertainment those present enjoyed themselves socially for about an hour, when all returned to their homes, pronouncing the evening to be one of the most enjoyable of the series

Farmers' Institute in Hancock County It is well known there is no organized agricultural society in Hancock County. For this reason the county has no representation on the State Board of Agriculture, and in turn the Board no medium to work through in the county. Notwithstanding this the farmers of the towns of Penobscot, Brooksville and vicinity, desirous of securing the privileges accorded to other sections of the State, have invited the Board to hold an institute with them the present winter. Accordingly the Secretary of the Board has appointed one to be held at Penobscot on Wednesday, Feb. 29, with the following programme: 10 A. M., Good stock and how to secure it, by the Secretary of the Board, 1 30 P. M., The horse for the farm, by Thomas Daggett, Piscataquis County; 2.30 P. M., Thorough work, by R. W. Ellis, Waldo County; 7 P. M., The Jersey cow a money maker, by G. M. Gowell, Bowdoin. Discussions will follow each subject. No doubt, weather favoring, this will be one of the most successful institutes of the season. There are good farmers in Penobscot and vicinity, and several large Granges are within reach of the meeting, which will send large delegations.

CECILIA CLUB FESTIVAL.

A Fine Musical Event Proposed

From the commencement of the season's work the idea of giving a festival in the spring or at the close of the regular rehearsals, has been a subject of frequent talk at the business meetings of the club. That their plans may be carried out is the wish of many musical people, yet the expense is considerable to enable them to secure the best attractions, and our citizens who desire to hear first-class, musical entertainments should give at once the needed encouragement

The real object of the Cecilia Club in organizing this proposed festival is to become a medium by which the best foreign music may occasionally be heard by our citizens Years ago in the flourishing days of the Penobscot Musical Association the Mendelssohn Quintette Club used to come here regularly and always brought out large houses It is hoped that the same spirit may be revived in our city, and in presenting the Beethoven Sextette the management is securing the best music to be found in Boston The names of Charles A Allen Theodore Human violins Carl Meisel, viola Wulf Fries, violoncello G B Van Santvoord, flute, and August Fills, contra basso will be a sufficient guarantee for this statement

If the festival succeeds, the Cecilias hope to be able another year to introduce the best of Boston talent once or twice through the winter but of course nothing can be done without our liberal encouragement from our citizens It may be well to remind parents of the benefits to be obtained from hearing good music by young people who are learning to perform upon some instrument themselves It is not always convenient for pupils to visit large cities to partake of metropolitan advantages so it is the duty of parents to help bring such advantages to Bangor as often as possible

The work of the Cecilia Club has been very successful this winter. Their concerts have been unusually good showing the result of careful training and good work But it is not by their concerts alone that the club must be judged They are educating a large class of our young people who otherwise would know nothing of good music nor of their own capabilities The club ought to be encouraged for every reason and we hope our citizens will not be backward in expressing their appreciation of its efforts in the future as well as in the past

A paper has been left at the store of D Bugbee & Co for those who wish to sign their names for tickets, and all who would encourage the proposed festival are requested to leave their names early

THE SUPREME COURT

The Important Trials About to Commence

The session of the Supreme Court criminal term, now being held is one of the most interesting if not important of any ever held in this county and from now until the cases are disposed of, the results announced and the interest if any pronounced the interest of the community, and also the interest of a territory reaching beyond the boundaries of the State will be centered in the trials and upon the newspaper reports thereof According to its usual custom of giving full and accurate reports of all matters of interest occurring in our midst, The Whig will give daily reports of all the important evidence in the cases to be presented and while undertaking to write up nothing as a matter of mere sensation, will give full and reliable reports of what transpires in court during the trials soon to be in progress It is easy to fill columns with speculative sensation and romance in connection with each of the principal cases to be brought up for trial but The Whig has preferred to confine its work to presenting the cases in an unbiased manner, upon the facts as given in court and this it has done already so far as has been made public without attempting to pretend to throw light on the secrets of the grand jury room To-day it is expected that the grand jury will be ready to rise and report their action and findings, and that the first case to be tried that of Stain and Cromwell for the Dexter Bank affair, will be entered upon so far as electing a jury It was expected that the grand jury would have concluded their work yesterday but they were obliged to wait for certain witnesses until to-day

There are already in the city quite a large number of witnesses in the Dexter Bank case, and on Monday scores more will be here The intense interest in the trials will bring out large crowds anxious to listen to the evidence but the capacity of the court house is limited and only as many will be admitted as can be comfortably accommodated, and as will enable the proceedings to progress quietly and in order While the Court and officers are desirous of doing all they can to gratify the natural desire of the public the interests of justice are paramount and when as many as can properly be accommodated have been admitted to the court house the doors will be closed

Sunday Services

Song service for men only at the Y M C A rooms to-morrow afternoon at a quarter before three o'clock

Rev T E Busfield will preach in the morning at the First Baptist church subject, "Stealing" Other services as usual.

"How God regards the people of Bangor" will be the subject of Rev Mr Lindsay's sermon in the First Methodist church to-morrow morning

The ladies of the Crusade will have charge of the devotional services in the hall Sunday morning Services commence promptly at nine o'clock

Union street Methodist church, Rev F C Rogers, pastor At 10.30, preaching; at 6 15, prayer meeting of Christian Endeavor society, at 7, song service and general prayer meeting

St John's Episcopal church, Rev John McGaw Foster, rector—Celebration of the Holy Communion at 9 A M , morning service at 10 30 A M , Sunday School at 12 M , evening service at 7 30

First Christian church—Preaching by the pastor, Rev T P. Humphrey, at 2 P M Social meeting at 6.30 Wednesday and Friday evenings, meeting at 7 o'clock. A meeting will be held at Webster Clark's house on Monday evening at 7.

Independent Congregational Society (Unitarian) Rev. Geo Croswell Cressey pastor Services at 10.30, Sunday school at 11 45. Subject of the discourse to-morrow "The Aesthetic and the Religious." A welcome extended to all.

First M. E. church, 10.30 preaching by the pastor, Rev. George D. Lindsay, 11 45 Sabbath school. Afternoon, 3 o'clock, children's meeting; 6 o'clock, meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E.; 7 o'clock, praise and prayer meeting. Strangers are cordially welcomed.

Advent Christian church, corner of Centre and Cumberland streets: Services in the vestry at 10 A. M.; Sunday School at 11.30 A. M.; preaching in church at 2 P. M., subject, "The drying up of the river Euphrates," Rev. 16-12; experience meeting of the young people at 7 P. M., followed by regular prayer meeting at 7.30 P. M.

At the Reform Club meeting Sunday [illegible] Mr Anthony and Volney B. Cushing [illegible] take part in the exercises, the Universalist Quartette will render some fine music and they hope to see a full house.

Hammond Street Congregational church, [illegible] H L Griffin, pastor, 10 30, worship [illegible] preaching by pastor, sermon especially appropriate for young men All such [illegible] cordially invited 11 45, Sunday [illegible] school, 6 45, young people's meeting, 7.30, [illegible] song service

"Two Remarkable Sayings of Christ" [illegible] be the theme of the pastor's morning discourse at the Universalist church tomorrow At the evening vestry service, beginning at 7 o'clock the pastor will talk on the "Problem of Immortality" The public are welcome

Our Own Folks and Other Folks

Mr G W Parker, is in Boston on a business trip

Mr E F Atwell of Orono, was in the city yesterday

Mr Abel Davis of Pittsfield was in the city yesterday

Hon G M Patten of Bath, was at the Bangor House last night

Mr F I Jordan, of Portland, the well known bar tone is in the city

D W McCrillis Esq , of Dexter was in the city last night at the Bangor House

Messrs Harry and Rowland Stewart left last night for a trip to Havana Cuba

Sprague Adams Esq , has gone to Thomasville, Ga to remain the rest of the winter

Miss Shattuck of Lawrence Mass is the guest of Mrs Harriet Griswold on Broadway

Mrs W H Baxter of Portland left for her home yesterday noon after a visit with friends in this city

Mr J F Parkhurst left yesterday morning for Washington to visit his son Mr Fred H Parkhurst

Mr Henry F Capen, proprietor of the Silver Lake Hotel Katahdin Iron Works was in the city yesterday

Miss Harriet Robinson, of Greenville was in the city last night on her way to visit friends in Portland

Clarence Hale, Esq left Thursday for New York where he is to take passage for Europe to be absent six weeks

Mr Charles F Avery of Boston has been stopping at the Lowder Block for a few days past and returned home on last evening's train

Hon J O Smith of Skowhegan State Insurance Commissioner was in the city yesterday making his annual examination of the companies in this city

Mrs William Briggs of Auburndale Mass a sister of Mrs Noah Emery and Mrs Stephen Goddard of Boston a sister of the late Capt[illegible] Emery arrived in the city last evening to attend the funeral of the deceased

Dr George M Twitchell of the Maine Farmer goes to New Brunswick next Monday in answer to the invitation of Mr Lugrin Secretary of the Provincial Board of Agriculture to speak at several meetings beginning at Woodstock on Tuesday the 21st

Hon J W Bradbury of Augusta Mrs H Bradbury and daughter and Miss Gregorie start for St Augustine, Florida, next Monday where they intend to pass the remainder of the winter and spring They will stop in Washington for a few days

New Advertisements

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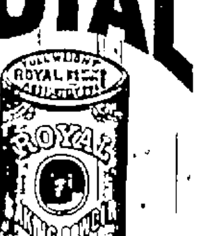
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'POSSUMS FOR SALE.

ONLY A FEW FOUND IN THE NEW YORK MARKET.

An Old Darkey Talks About the Favorite Dish That Tickles the Palate of His Fun Loving Race, and Tells How to Cook It.

A reporter was leaning against a popular stall in the Washington market recently when a countryman came along with a small bag swung across his broad shoulders. He paused before the stall and eyed the bulky form of the ponderous marketman with a twinkle in his eye which proclaimed that he was not a stranger to the man he finally winked at. The huge butcher returned the silent greeting with the humorous stoicism of his tribe, and, after a decorous pause remarked with a satisfied blandness he did not attempt to conceal

Ah! I see you've got 'em."

Yas I've got am replied the country man an they's jes th purtiest critters you ever lay y'r eyes pon."

The countryman slowly shifted the bag from his shoulder to the floor and then thrust his ample right hand into it, but with the measured slowness which denoted long practice in the art of subjecting haste to a science. owly he drew his hand out of the bag and held up a large animal by a long clean white tail. The animal looked like a pig and it didn't. It had iron gray hair all over it in thin patches. It was remarkably fat. The countryman repeated the operation until three of the animals lay upon the stall. The butcher gazed at them with admiration. Then turned them over and over Then held them up one at a time by the long tail, and finally dumped them in the scales one at a time. When he had finished he went to his drawer and produced a silver dollar which he handed to the countryman who took the coin and went his way only a gru t of satisfaction disclosing that he was amply satisfied.

Opossum eh?" said the reporter

Yes and mighty fine ones they are plump as they can be and first class in every way" said the butcher

Who buys them?"

Who buys em exclaimed the butcher. Why, my dear fellow, them possums wen hang on them pegs twenty minits by my watch Every colored man what comes along this way will see them 'possums the min t strikes the entrance, and he'll make a break for my stall There's nothing in the market in the mea line a colored man'll buy as long as one of them animals is around."

You make good profits on them?"

Well you see, I take all that John brings for ot all the butchers cares about bother with em They can't ornament a stall ll, you know"

The reporter equally subscribed to this sentiment but before he had time to remark caught sight of an aged African bearing upon the stall with all the expedition years would allow

How much fur dat boss?" he said grabbing the largest possum by the tail.

Sell said the butcher, with emphasis.

So ! Great Sco t!" exclaimed the African with lamentation in his voice and consternation in his looks. You don't sell em ch! Too bad! I don set my heart on dat possum. Y' can't I rub I ave em?"

No Il a so It sold h m before I got h n.

But you aint don sol dis one?" said the customer seizing the next in size with a look of defiance

No tant one is fo sale

Before the conversation had proceeded further another ancient representative of Ham had come upon the scene and was waiting his turn. He looked upon the second prize with a longing eye and the reporter could see that he was anxious to compete for the possession of it.

How much does yer want fer it?" asked the first customer eyeing the second comer with volumes of distrust.

I want seventy five American pennies with Pocahontas stamped on the back" said the butcher, with a wave of his hand.

I'll gib yer dollah boss, said the second comer.

"No yer wont to rob ca, Mr Smarty" exclaimed the first customer Dats my possum, an I'm gwine to have it an'y needn't be try n nuff juice up ober de hopes ob gittin' im." The man held the opossum firmly in his strong grasp with his right hand while he skirmished in all his pockets for his money After a while he produced the required pennies and said with lofty mie : Dars yer money sah Pokehunta an' all"

The second customer said nothing but ascertaining that the remaining opossum could be had for fifty cents paid down the tariff and shuffled off casting upon the first customer however a glance which looked like a razor in the sharpness of its direct view and in the bluntness of it in its otherwise

Tell the gentleman here something about the possum, Uncle Jack" said the butcher

Certainly," said Uncle Jack with a chuckle I's been buyin 'possums from yr more a five year ain't it? I guess it am. An mighty good possums dey is ter be sho But they don't lot er candle light ter possums in de lan where I'm want fotch up. I cums from de Virginy where dey possums grow on de 'simmon trees."

I see Your mind goes back to the good old days before the war You can't forget those days, even here in New York, ch?

Well I mout furgit do days, but I cant furgit de possums" said Uncle Jack, and there was a lovin in his voice which indicated that the sly old fox knew a third or two.

Well tell us all about it Tell us how you cook the opossum, said the reporter

How you cook am boss? Dat's a fine questin Do people up dis way dun know nuffin bout cookin er possum Dey goes bout it like dey want do possum ter swim erway in grease. Wy, look at dat possum. Do he look like he want eny mo grease ter cook he self in ? An' dey dey go sifs de 'possum? And Uncle Jack burst out in a fit of laughter which was simply indescribable.

Lemme tell yer how yer do It. Yer tak de possum an I old im ober a fire mak of corn shucks till yer dun singe all de ha r off him. Den yer scrape him wid a dull case knife an' den yer put im in hot water jess like yer do er pig By dat time he be clean an w te. Den yer clean im jess like yer wod a pig But now comes de pint. Yer tek yer stuffin in dis way Tek er loaf ob corn pone an brek it up fine Den yer cut up two red in yuns den cut up two red peppers mix dis up nice an put it inside de possum kareful like Den put im in er big oben and wedge im all roun' wid big sweet pertaters. Put de lid on de oben an put lots coals under it an on top on it. Den let de possum stay dere till im be cooked brown all ober When he done Lor wat er dish! —New York Sun.

By using soda water as a wash you can clean ceilings that have been smoked by a kerosene lamp

Altering a note in any manner by the holder makes it void.

FORTRESS OF THE NEVA.

A Russian Prison from Which None Are Permitted to Return

The fortress up the Neva is a terrible prison where offenders against the government are given a court martial and punished. None are known to be acquitted, so that no tales come from the place. When a man or woman goes to the fortress he or she is never heard of more. A subject is sent to Siberia in exile or is shot in the pen like a pig. In any event a trip there is a journey to death.

The fortress is on a little island and can only be reached by a boat. None but officers of the empire with special permission to do so, are allowed to approach it. A number of strangers, out fishing or rowing, and not knowing what the fortress was, have lost their lives in attempting to land there. On the walls surrounding it are ever sentinels—guards who have instructions to shoot down without question or warning all who approach without authority. When the nature of the place is known and the uses of it understood, the purpose of this arsenal are seen. All suspects—every one known to be plotting or working against the crown, or any of the imperial subjects—are taken here for examination and execution, and so many are never heard of who are taken here that efforts are continually made to destroy the fortress or rescue some one in it and since those who are taken to it are, in the eyes of the czar, the rankest criminals, great efforts must be put forth to keep intruders away It is said the waters about it are often crimson with human blood.

From the fortress thousands of human souls have taken flight every year since it was constructed, and tens of thousands of sentences have been pronounced against exiles, or those who are destined to exile. It is a sober looking structure, and sunk half way into the water Originally it was intended as a defense in war, but now it is the scene of the expiation of crime against the crown. There is no crime punishable by death, except against the crown. A man may murder a whole household of people in cold blood and escape with but a five year sentence; but if he criticises the government the czar, a member of his family, or an officer, he is shot at the fortress or exiled to Siberia—the same if he advocates free government, franchise, a constitution or public schools.

Almost every day men and women are taken from the shops or their homes and carried in the direction of the fortress. No one knows what they have done amiss. If they have offended the government they are exiled, if they have injured the cause of the government they are shot. The examinations are conducted secretly Not only is the subject not permitted to make a defense, but his friends are not advised of his arrest, charge or sentence. And the crown takes delight in making punishment of his offenders as swift, stern and extreme as possible, that the tread toward nihilism may be checked. But it doesn't seem to check it. A Russian never looks up the Neva from St. Petersburg but that he thinks of the fortress, and he never thinks of the fortress without shuddering.—St. Petersburg Letter.

George Bancroft.

When George Bancroft was born the entire population of the Union was but 5,300,453 and at that time there was neither steamboat, railroad nor telegraph the Spanish possessions in America spread on both sides of the equator far into the temperate zone, over 30 degs of latitude, and American statesmen feared that Kentucky was too far from the seat of government to be held in the federation Indiana contained but 5 000 white people and Illinois as many fun Ines the United States was paying tribute to pirates in Africa, France was in the agonies of a transformation from the first republic to the first empire, there was no such nation as Germany, no such kingdom as Italy, and no other republic on the continent than this. Great Britain still upheld the slave trade and America had no native literature save a few minor productions. Sixty four years ago Bancroft published his first book Ides of Ancient Greece and avowed himself an advocate of universal s fran and uncompromising democracy At the same time he began work on his great history and the first volume appeared in 1834 He was collector of the port of Boston under President Van Buren secretary of the navy under President Polk, minister to Russia under President Johnson and to Germany under President Grant. He founded the Naval Academy at Annapolis and issued the order under which the navy took possession of California. And now his old age at Washington is diversified by long walks and daring horseback rides. Such a life gives assurance that the old New Eng lan l tock (he is a native of Worcester Mass) has not degenerated.

What Becomes of Old Barbers.

I ne r seen an old barber and what becomes of them all?" A customer in a Third avenue barber shop spake thus the other day to the artist who was lathering him. "Keep bear sings " replied the barber as he grasped his ton You see a man g n played out in this busines and you can't see ten gray haired men in all the chairs in all the barber shops in New York. There's an ex barber keeping a place on the corner across where you see the fountain g ring and lots of them around here that same thing A man a l and gets shaky, I s in It is been before his hair turns gray Sometimes it's from drink, but oftener from the nervousness that catches on to a man by working in such little shops and half o Sundays. It so s all to lo as sitting round, but that fruit all our work A barber naturally gets up a bear hop with a hob knocked out for ba keep g to be sociable with their customers and that's the kind of training for a beer shop keeper There's one gray haired barber wo k down town and that's the only one I ever saw in New York. Bay rum only after hair?—New York Sun.

Ben Perley Poore

Ben Perley Poore left a great amount of valuable papers He left tens of thousands of autographs and he began to keep autographs with one which Andrew Jackson gave him. He had collected anything interesting to go to waste and his collection is a very valuable one it is said His wife who is a very accomplished woman is spending the winter in Washington and she lives at the Ebbitt house, in the same old rooms which he and Maj Poore occupied last year She helped Ben Perley Poore very much with his work and she was much interested in his success as Mrs. John A. Logan was in that of the general.—Carpenter's Washington Letter.

A Lesson in Physiology

A pupil in one of the public schools of the city compiled recently in the following manner with a request to write a composition on the subject of a physiological lecture to which the school had just listened:

The human body is made up of the head, the thorax and the abdomen.

The head contains the brains, when there is any

The thorax contains the heart and the lungs.

"The abdomen contains the bowels, of which there are five A E I O and U, and some times W and Y."—Philadelphia Item.

Grange Meetings

Hancock County Pomona Grange—Next meeting with Brooklin Grange, Saturday, February 28

Waldo County Grange—Next meeting with Dirigo Grange, Freedom, Tuesday, February 21

Union Pomona Grange—Next meeting with Mt Pleasant Grange Camden Friday February 24

Penobscot County Grange—Next meeting at Pine Grove Hall Brewer, Saturday February 25

Sagadahoc Pomona Grange—Next meeting with Woolwich Grange, Woolwich Wednesday, February 29

Cumberland County Pomona Grange—Next meeting with Gray Grange Gray Corner Wednesday, March 7

Androscoggin County Pomona Grange—Next meeting with Lake View Grange Auburn Wednesday, March 7

A GREAT BATTLE

is continually going on in the human system. The demon of impure blood strives to gain victory over the constitution, to ruin health, to drag victims to the grave A good reliable medicine like Hood's Sarsaparilla is the weapon with which to defend one's self drive the desperate enemy from the field, and restore peace and bodily health for many years Try this peculiar medicine b

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As a matter of interest to the afflicted I would hereby publicly state that I have recently had a cancer successfully and skillfully removed from my lip by Dr J Stevens, of Bangor, without essentially marring the symmetry of the lip or impairing its utility

The doctor has a method peculiarly his own of removing cancers without inflicting any pain. The patient scarcely experiences a sensation. The dread of the operation, therefore, need not deter one from applying for relief in the early stages of the malady—before it has attained an alarming state of activity and growth.

H SILSBY,
Hampden, Me

This is to certify that I had a large carbuncle on my wrist, which was very painful for two weeks Dr. J. Stevens put on a plaster and I went to bed—and slept as usual In the morning I found the carbuncle had been killed down to the healthy tissue without pain and it readily healed a natural healthy sore.

G W. FARRINGTON,
Veazie, Jan. 1st, 1888.

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Respectfully represents Lewis Barker of Bangor in said County, that he is the guardian of Ethel Clare Bell Norton a minor, under the age of fourteen years, and a child, by adoption of Augusta V Norton late of said Bangor deceased; that since his appointment and acceptance of said trust he has examined the original petition of said Augusta V. Norton to your Honor for the adoption of said minor, the decree of your Honor thereon as entered on your docket and a certificate of your said decree issued under the seal of the Probate Court and delivered to said Augusta V Norton on the day said decree was made signed by your Honor and attested by the Register of Probate which reads as follows

STATE OF MAINE

[L. S.] Penobscot, ss Court of Probate Aug. Term A D 1887

In the case of the Petition of Augusta V Norton of Bangor in said County for leave to adopt Mary Bell Gardner a child of James B. and Elizabeth Gardner of Yarmouth in the County of Barnstable State of Massachusetts not of own birth to which adoption Thacher T Hall the Guardian of said child (whose mother has deceased and whose father has abandoned her and ceased to provide for her support) g ves his consent w ll g

Being satisfied of the identity and relations of the parties also of the ability of the petitioner to bring up and educate said child in the manner suitable to her degree and condition of her parents and of the fitness and propriety of such adoption I do decree upon decree that said child shall be granted that from and after this date said Mary Bell Gardner is the child of said petitioner to all legal intents and purposes and that the name of said child be changed and she be ever thereafter known and called by the name of Ethel Clare Bell Norton

By this Decree the natural parents shall be deprived of all legal rights in respect to said child and she is hereafter free from all legal obligations of obedience and maintenance in respect to them and she is and shall be for the custody of the person and the right of obedience and of inheritance and all by law to all intents and purposes the child of said adopter as if she had been her natural parent.

JAMES H BURGESS Judge

Attest: AMBROSE C. FLINT Register

and the paper or printed blank attached to said original decree and in subsequent entry to the clerk's reading of said certificate of the Register of Probate in which language supporting to be the adoption themselves your Honor's to be in variance appears also by on your Honor's said certificate

On inspection that said blank was printed under Section 35 of Chap 67, blank the words and of this statute the amendment after the words 830 are omitted said printed eleventh line of what purports a perhaps a make issued as a decree follow intent of you nor the certificate Your petition or spirit and which purpor that said paper Honor on said decree of your been recorded ich has not yet in the letter so as to conform hereinbefore certificate thereof are in fact, the original decree said paper eleventh line of after the words extended decree heritance of ords and of in ton in the words after Nor pillage, or seem to be not Honor may see as to your decree, made as aforesaid plain and to render your ous

And thus as in duty bound, will ever pray
LEWIS BARKER.

January 31 1888

STATE OF MAINE

PENOBSCOT ss Probate January Term A D 1888

Upon the foregoing petition ORDERED That said petitioner give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of said petition, and this order thereon to be published three weeks successively in the Whig & Courier, a newspaper published in said County, that they may appear at a Court of Probate for said County, to be held at the Probate Office in Bangor on the first Tuesday of February next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted

JAMES H BURGESS, Judge

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The petition of Joseph Jordan ... respectfully represents ...

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JOHN W HILLIAT
Guardian of Joseph Jordan

January 31 1888

STATE OF MAINE

PENOBSCOT ss COURT OF PROBATE January Term A D 1888

Upon the foregoing petition Ordered That said petitioner give notice to all persons interested by causing a copy of said petition and of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bangor Whig & Courier a newspaper printed in Bangor that they may appear at a Court of Probate to be held at the Probate Office in Bangor on the first Tuesday of ... next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon and show cause if any they have why the prayer of said petition should not be granted

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STATE OF MAINE.

PENOBSCOT SS At a Court of Probate holden at Bangor, within and for said County of Penobscot, on the last Tuesday of January A D 1888

A certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of Thomas Leighton, late of Brighton; Monroe County, State of New York, deceased and of the probate thereof in said State of New York duly authenticated, having been presented to the Judge of Probate for our said County for the purpose of being allowed, filed and recorded in the Probate Court for our said County, and having been presented by Kate B of Rochester, Monroe County in said New York, executrix of said will in said New York, that letters testamentary may be by the Judge of Probate for our

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested therein, by publishing a copy of this order three weeks successively in the Bangor Whig and Courier a newspaper published at said County of Penobscot, the first to be thirty days at least prior to the of March, A D 1888 that they may a Probate Court, then to be held at in and for said County of Penobscot look in the forenoon and show cause, have, against the same

JAMES H BURGESS Judge of Probate

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HORACE S SANDS late of Bangor,

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ABBIE E SANDS, Adm'x

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IN EFFECT OCTOBER 23, 1887

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... A M —For St. Stephen, N B, Aroostook Co, St. John and all points East of Bangor in the Provinces

... A M —For Oldtown and ...

1.15 P M —For Oldtown and ... with B & A Mixed

... P M —For Oldtown

... P M —Night express train ... Aroostook County ... car for St. John ...

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... A M —For Portland and Boston ... from Waterville ... with ... cars for Boston attached

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... M Mt. Desert Ferry ... A M ...

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October ... 1887

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ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS.

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ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS

IN EFFECT NOV 17, 1887

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8.?? P M			Mail
9.0 A M	"	Fredericton	Accom'n
9.30 A M	"	St. Andrews	
9.45 A M	"	St. Stephen (Calais)	
9.45 P M			Accom

Northern Division

1.00 P M	leave Edmundston		Accom
8.45 A M	leave Grand Falls		
3.30 P M	"		
5.30 A M	"	Presque Isle	Accom
3.00 P M	"		Express
... A M	"	Caribou	Accom
3.?? P M			Express
7.35 A M	"	Fort Fairfield	Accom
4.20 P M			Express
10.25 A M	"	Woodstock	Accom
8.40 P M			Express
10.25 A M	"	Houlton	Accom
8.?? P M			Night Accom

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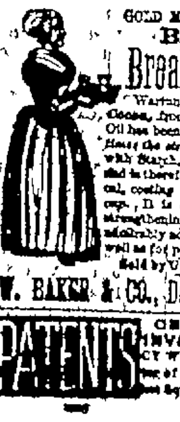
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